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DAILY GAZETTE.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

—Mr. Hopkins is still calling for "more light" on our Pittsburgh Custom House.

—Henry Watterson, of the Louisville *Courier-Journal*, is about again after a long illness.

—The Maryland Legislature voted down the bill prohibiting any division of the school fund.

—The preliminaries were settled yesterday, and Gov. Ames' trial will commence next Tuesday.

—The Ohio Senate yesterday passed the House bill to abolish the office of Comptroller of the State Treasury.

—Treasurer New says he desires to resign on the 1st of April, but he has not yet broken the news to the President.

—Curtis was defeated in the New York Convention yesterday, but he got his work in pretty well in making a record.

—The President yesterday nominated John A. Bentley, of Wisconsin, to be Commissioner of Pensions vice Gill, resigned.

—The rush of Black Hillers is undiminished. The trains at Omaha are overcrowded daily with them, en route via Cheyenne.

—The New York Republicans have floated their banner to the breeze, with "Conkling for President" emblazoned thereon.

—John Scott & Sons, engineers and shipbuilders, of Inoerkeithing, near Edinburg, Scotland, failed yesterday. They employed about 400 operatives.

—The Mississippi House has shortened its work. Yesterday it accepted Cardoza's resignation and withdrew the articles of impeachment against him.

—The official decree relating to Prefects was published in Paris yesterday. It supercedes or retires on half pay thirteen Prefects and transfers eleven.

—Patrick Ward, sixty years old, under sentence of death at Trenton for murder, yesterday secured a commutation of the sentence to imprisonment for life.

—The miners and the Indians in the Black Hills are improving the shining hours with fraternal interchanges to the lullaby of the rifle and the soothing melody of the war-whoop.

—Senator Bogy is the next man called to walk the investigation plank. Curious people want to know how heavy the financial strain was which secured him his seat as Senator from Missouri.

—Common Council displayed an uncommon streak of obtuseness yesterday in its disposition of the resolution calling for the return of Grier, the wanderer in which so much interest centers just now.

—The general impression is that Mr. Heister Clymer is not a success as an investigator. Like the darkey in chase of the bear, he turns back when the trail becomes "mighty fresh."—*N. Y. Tribune*.

—The Ohio House yesterday refused to entertain a motion to order an investigation into the management of the Soldiers' Orphans Home, although affidavits were offered to prove cruel treatment of the orphans.

—The Maryland Legislature is considering a bill providing that all edecutions of the death penalty in the State shall be done as privately as possible—none but the Sheriff and the necessary legal attendants being admitted.

—The trial of the Judges of the Twentieth ward, Chicago, was ended yesterday by the disagreement of the jury. Fraud in the returns was clearly proven, but there was one intelligent man who held out for acquittal, against the evidence and eleven stubborn men.

—Who has not heard of Cheny's American silks? How many who shine in these products of American looms will stop a moment to drop a tear in memory of Ward Cheney, President of the Cheney Silk Association, who died at South Manchester, Conn., yesterday.

The man who told this frozen truth is bald now. Women are allowed to vote in Wyoming, but they are indifferent as to who or what they vote for. At a recent local election there a fellow running for Town Clerk bribed eighteen female voters with one pound of chewing gum.

—Conroy, one of the Utica masked burglars who had turned State's evidence, was shot dead Tuesday during a parley between the officer who had him in charge and a party of men who claimed him, asserting that they were officers, but who are supposed to have belonged to the gang of burglars.

—The true blue sons of Democracy are not abashed by the boisterous breeze of blackguardism which whistled through the Lancaster convention yesterday, for they hold firm to the poet's idea that

> "Even in tranquilest times,
> Light breezes will ruffle the blossoms sometimes."

—The United States Centennial Commission has completed the most important appointments for the National festival on the 4th of July. The selection of Mr. Evarts as the orator on this occasion has already been announced, and the country has received it with general applause. Mr. Bayard Taylor has now accepted the appointment of poet.

—The people of Helena are "fornenst" any subsidy for the Northern Pacific Railroad. A telegram from Helena says a paper has been circulated and extensively signed by business men here protesting against the people of the Territory voting aid to the Northern Pacific Railroad, claiming that such a tax would be ruinous to the interest of the Territory, and calling on the press of the Territory to oppose the subsidy.

—Ex-President Woolsey, of Yale College, has written to Senator English, of Connecticut, a letter relative to the nomination of Mr. Dana, in which he states that he has personally made examination of the facts in the controversy concerning the Wheaton notes, and that nothing in the slightest degree dishonorable was done by Mr. Dana. Mr. Woolsey speaks in the highest terms of Mr. Dana's reputation and character.

—The nation will breathe freer now that that momentous question has been settled. A shoe dealer in Washington says it is not true that Mrs. Belknap has the smallest feet of any lady in the city. He adds: "Within the past three weeks I have sold two pairs of shoes much smaller, to a young lady at Washington. The lady mentioned is five feet five inches high, weighs about 120 pounds, and is a pure blonde of the finest type. She wears slippers No. 13, misses size, and No. 1 gaiters, though the latter are too large except in the height of the instep."

—Governor Hartranft has issued death warrants in the case of two condemned murderers, ordering them to be hanged May 4. One of these doomed wretches is Michael J. Doyle, who helped to assassinate a mining boss at Summit Hill last fall. He is the only member of the Mollie Maguire organization yet convicted of a felony, though a great number of murders, murderous assaults and house burnings have been traced to them. There is not the slightest question of Doyle's guilt. He did not even deny it when sentence was passed on him.

—The recent decision of the Supreme Court, affirming the unconstitutionality of State legislation, which attempts to regulate Chinese immigration, has created intense extitement in San Francisco. According to our dispatches mass meetings have been called, and Congress is to be waited upon by a committee. John landed a thousand strong a few days ago, and he is coming by the hundred thousand during the next six months. This is a question of the gravest importance, but how it can be regulated except by constitutional amendment we cannot see. In a short time he will have crossed the plains and climbed over the Alleghanies, and then——?

—Later developments show that the financial affairs of Judge Barrett, of New York, are in a worse plight than was at first apprehended. His books and papers have been kept in such a loose way that it is thought it will be impossible to bring order out of them. The trouble had weighed so heavily on the Judge's mind as to seriously impair his health, and his physician ordered him to drop business at once and take a trip to Europe. When he sailed on Saturday his mind was in a condition bordering on insanity. Mrs. Barrett said he would send a statement of his business back as soon as he arrived in Europe, providing he was in a condition to do so.

—The financial difficulties of Daniel Drew will be seriously felt in the Drew Theological Seminary at Madison, N. J., but will not endanger its existence. When it was founded, Mr. Drew deeded to it 100 acres of land, with the buildings upon it, and erected new buildings at a cost of $120,000, the entire gift being valued at $250,000. He also gave his note for $250,000 to endow the Seminary, with the understanding that no application should be made for the principal, but that he should pay the interest yearly, amounting to $17,000. The Seminary holds the land and buildings, and only loses the $17,000 a year, which will be made up as far as possible by the Methodist Episcopal Church. There is no idea of allowing the Seminary to suspend, and it will certainly be kept up.

Fighting Between Miners and Indians—Thirteen Savages and One White Man Killed—More Trouble Expected.

FORT LARAMIE, WY., March 22.—News was brought in last night by a party from Custar City of a fight between miners and Indians on Dead Wood Creek, sixty miles north of Custar. The miners attacked the Indians and killed thirteen. One white man was killed. The Indians had been running off stock. More trouble is expected.

FIRST EDITION.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Ex-Senator Stewart Again Before the Emma Mine Investigators.

THE POST TRADERSHIPS INVESTIGATION CONTINUED.

Caleb P. Marsh Examined in the Belknap Case.

NO ACTION TAKEN BY THE SENATE ON DANA'S NOMINATION.

Proposed Change in the Election of President and Vice President.

WASHINGTON, March 22, 1876.

Emma Mine Investigation.

Ex-Senator Stewart was again before the Committee on Foreign Affairs to-day in relation to the Emma Mine. It appeared from his testimony that after the negotiation was made with Albert Grant for selling the stock on the market it was agreed that General Schenck should have some of it, he having said he had money and would like to invest. He gave a circumstantial account of the appointment of the directors of the company, and remarked that it was not by acquiring any interest that General Schenck became a director. The salary was $2,500, and General Schenck had time to attend to the business. He had no knowledge as to whether the General paid for the stock himself, but supposed that Park had arranged to carry the stock for him. He could not, however, state in what way. The witness read from Lyon's testimony, and denied several statements contained therein.

He detailed the terms of the contract with Lyon by which he was to relinquish his interest in the Emma mine. Stewart said commissions, or "English pulls," as they called them, were demanded by all bankers, and nearly everybody with whom they came in contact. Jay Cooke & Co. demanded two and one-half per cent. on sale. Pulls were also paid to Baron Grant, Lewis & Sons, and others, and Coates & Hankey, the parties who introduced them to Baron Grant, demanded £10,000 for the introduction, but it was not paid. He was surprised at the amount of money they had to pay to numbers of people in England. He denied Lyon's statement that he gave Schenck five hundred shares of stock.

Witness devoted his time to-day mainly to an emphatic denial of many of the main points of Lyon's testimony, and to show that Schenck was an owner of stock long before the organization of the company, and that he did not become a director until after the sale of the mine. He said that it could not be true that Baron Grant went into the affair mainly on the State ment that Gen. Schenck was a director, for the reason that Schenck did not become a director until after the sale of the mine. He said that Gen. Schenck's name was first suggested on the 2d or 3d of November, long after the company was organized.

Adjourned.

The Belknap Investigation.

George H. Pendleton was before a subcommittee of the Judiciary Committee tonight, consisting of Representatives Hunton, Lynde and Hoar. He testified that neither General Belknap nor any member of his family immediately or remotely received any money whatever from him resulting from the claim of the Kentucky Central Railroad. Other parts of the testimony were similar to that given before the Committee on Expenditures in the War Department, with the addition that some of the $30,000 (the amount of one of the drafts) was spent by him in the payment of private debts and the purchase of various articles, and the balance taken by him to Europe.

Caleb P. Marsh being sworn, testified. He said: In Montreal I looked over the printed account of my testimony. With one inconsiderable addition it is correct. The addition is that I returned to the Secretary of War after I had gone to New York with Mr. Evans, and I requested the Secretary to make the appointment of Evans as post trader. I came to Washington in answer to a note of request of Mrs. Belknap, not of the Secretary of War. When I came here I called on her first, not on him. She had prevailed on him to give me the appointment. She said I had better go and see him. I did so. I think I produced letters of recommendation from Judge Bohnmann, of Cincinnati, and one possibly from Job Stevenson, but I do not recollect distinctly. Evans made his first quarterly payment to me a month or so after our contract. The first remittance I made was to Mrs. Belknap.

Chairman Hunton—The receipt of the express company is signed by W. W. Belknap.

The witness continuing (surprised and somewhat disconcerted)—Then I am very much mistaken. My transaction was with her. I can't explain it if the package went to Gen. Belknap. So far as I know she was surprised at the present. I may have said to Mrs. Belknap that she might expect a present when she spoke of getting me the appointment. I sent only one payment to Mrs. Belknap. She died a few months afterwards. I can't say when the second payment was made, except that it was about three months after the first. I sent the half of it to the Secretary of War. I do not remember any correspondence with Gen. Belknap except when Evans asked for some favor at Fort Sill. In such cases I would send Evans' letters to the Secretary of War, with a note something like this: "I forward a request from Evans. Can you comply with it?" Witness made some payments to Belknap in person in New York, giving him bank notes. He supposed Belknap understood where the money came from without any conversation upon the subject. The witness might have said to him: "Here are fifteen hundred dollars," or "a present of money." He was under the impression that Belknap knew the money came from Fort Sill.

In answer to a question how he came to make a present to Mrs. Belknap, witness replied that Gen. Belknap must have known of the arrangement he made with Evans, for he had asked the Secretary to appoint Evans in his place, and the Secretary did so.

Question—Do you believe that the transmission of money to Gen. Belknap was dishonorable? Answer—I felt that if it should become known it would disgrace him.

Q.—Was that the reason for destroying all evidences of payment in your hands? A.—I should certainly say so.

Q.—Why did you voluntarily, without solicitation, offer to Gen. Belknap money constituting a transaction that would disgrace him? A.—I do not know. The first money I sent was to Mrs. Belknap. The next was to General Belknap. Whether this was in consequence of any arrangement with her I am uncertain. I had no idea that the transactions would be made public. I did not consider them criminal, though if known they would disgrace him.

Q.—Can you state how you came to pay to the Secretary the money? A.—It must have been in consequence of some arrangement on the night after the funeral of Mrs. Belknap with Secretary Belknap or Mrs. Bowers.

Q. Did not Mrs. Bowers say, "You must not let the Secretary know you are going to make me a present," and did not that imply that the Secretary would be offended? A. I got some impression when at the funeral, either from her or him, that I could send money to him.

Adjourned.

War Department Investigation.

Dr. Bradford was before the Committee on Expenditures in the War Department to-day, and gave a statement relating to his appointment as trader at Fort Craig, and as to money he had given a lobbyist, Hawkins Taylor, to secure it for him from the Secretary of War. The witness informed the Secretary that he was paying Taylor as his agent.

Bradford said he had agreed to pay Taylor one thousand dollars a year as long as he retained the post tradership. He received the appointment at Fort Craig, but it was taken away from him after he had made an arrangement for goods, and given to a brother of Delegate Chavis, of New Mexico. Witness said that he sent a man named C. C. Coggswell to interview the Secretary after he (witness) had been removed. They had a stormy time. The Secretary remarked that he had removed Bradford because he was a scalawag. Coggswell remarked that he had seen it stated in some newspaper that appointments could be procured for money, when the Secretary said it was "a damned lie, and he could whip the man who said so," and that he intended to run the Department as he pleased.

Weigle, of Baltimore, was next called, but he seems to have been summoned by mistake, as he knew nothing of the transactions under investigation.

D. V. Peck testified that he received money from Dr. Bradford for Hawkins Taylor, but disagreed with Bradford as to the amount.

Jno. S. Evans was recalled and explained that Gen. Rice did not personally introduce him to the Secretary of War, but had an interview with the Secretary the day before the witness called on the Secretary in relation to the tradership at Fort Sill.

Adjourned.

Presidential Elections.

The joint resolution introduced by Senator Edmunds to-day proposes to substitute for Article VII. of the Constitution a new article, of which the main features are the following: The electors are to ballot in their respective States for President and Vice President as at present, but the list of votes must be sent to the presiding Justice of the Supreme Court. The Supreme Court, at a time and place to be fixed by law, is to publicly open all the certificates and count the votes, and the person having the greatest number of votes for President considered by the count to have been lawfully given and certified, shall be President, if such number be a majority of the whole number of electors lawfully appointed. If no person has such majority, the state of the votes shall be immediately certified to the House of Representatives, which, from the persons having the highest number not exceeding three on the list of those voted for as President, shall choose a President immediately by a *viva voce* vote, the representation from each State to have one vote if a majority of its delegation agree on one candidate, but otherwise the vote of such State shall not be counted. A quorum is to consist of a member or members from two-thirds of the States, and a majority of the States shall be necessary for a choice. The voting must continue until a President is elected. In case the House fails to elect before the 4th of March next following, then the Vice President shall act as President as in the case of the death or constitutional disability of the President. The person having the greatest number of electoral votes for Vice President, to be counted and determined as above provided, shall be Vice President, if such number be a majority of the whole number of electors. If no person is thus elected, the Senate is to choose a Vice President by a majority of its whole membership. Finally, it is provided that no Justice of the Supreme Court shall be eligible for election as President or Vice President until the expiration of two years after he shall have ceased to hold office.

Dana's Nomination.

In a brief executive session of the Senate the nomination of Dana, with the adverse report thereon, came up in the regular order of business, but was laid over for future action. No date was assigned for its consideration, but it will probably be acted on in a few days.

A Glittering Denial.

The Secretary of the Treasury says there is no truth in the report that the principal owner of a silver mine has made a proposition to furnish the Treasury with sixty millions worth of gold and silver within eighteen months.

Senator Spencer's Case.

The case of Senator Spencer was continued to-day by the Committee on Privileges and Elections, but nothing was elicited damaging to the Senator.

The Tariff Bill.

The Committee on Ways and Means completed the first section, or about one-fifth, of the tariff bill to-day. This section relates entirely to cotton.

FORTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

(FIRST SESSION.)

WASHINGTON, March 22, 1876.

SENATE.

Japanese Indemnity Fund.

Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, reported favorably on the petition of the New York Chamber of Commerce in relation to the Japanese indemnity fund, and reported a bill in relation to the payment of said fund.

Amending the Constitution.

Mr. EDMUNDS introduced a joint resolution providing for amending the Constitution of the United States. Referred.

Counting the Presidential Vote.

The morning hour having expired, the Senate resumed the consideration of Senate bill No. 1, providing for counting the votes for President and Vice President.

Mr. MORTON asked that the Senate remain in session to-day until the bill is disposed of.

After debate by Messrs. Whyte and Thurman, Mr. JONHSTON briefly discussed the amendment offered by himself, which reads: "If the Senate should vote for counting one certificate and the House of Representatives another, a joint meeting of the two houses shall finally determine which shall be counted by the States, the representation from each State, including Senators therefrom, having one vote, but if the representation of any State shall be equally divided, its vote shall not be counted," after which the question was taken on the amendment, and it was lost—yeas 11, nays 39.

The question was then taken on Mr. Cooper's amendment, which reads as follows: "And if the two houses do not agree as to which return shall de counted, then the vote shall be counted, which the House of Representatives, voting by States in the manner provided by the Constitution when the election devolves upon the House, shall decide to be the true and valid return," and it was lost—yeas 13, nays 35.

The question then recurred on the following amendment proposed by Mr. Maxey: "But if the two houses fail to agree as to which of the returns shall be counted, then the President of the Senate, as presiding officer of the two houses, shall decide which is the true and valid return, and the same shall be counted."

After debate the amendment was lost—yeas 7, nays 38.

After a short executive session, the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE.

Pensions.

Mr. RICE, from the Committee on Invalid Pensions, reported a bill providing that all pensions on account of death, wounds received or disease contracted in the service of the United States since March 4, 1871, shall commence from the date of death or discharge, and for the payment of arrears of the pension. Referred to the Committee of the Whole, and made a special order for Wednesday next.

Pittsburgh Custom House.

Mr. HOPKINS offered a resolution calling on the Secretary of the Treasury for all correspondence on the subject of a change of officers in the Custom House at Pittsburgh; also for a statement of all influence which induced the revocation of this request for the resignation of the Surveyor of the Port of Pittsburgh. Adopted.

Indian Deficiency Appropriation.

On motion of Mr. ATKINS, the Senate amendments to the bill to supply the deficiency in the appropriation for certain Indian tribes were non-concurred in.

Contributions to Election Funds.

The House then took up the bill reported yesterday from the Judiciary Committee prohibiting contributions to election funds by officers of the United States Government, the question being on the amendment offered by Mr. Blaine to extend the application of the bill to Senators, Representatives and Delegates in Congress,

Mr. BLAINE quoted the testimony given by Cornelius Wendell, a former Congressional printer, to the effect that forty-three per cent. of the gross amount appropriated for printing purposes had been used for the purpose of carrying Buchanan's Presidential election. He expressed the belief that colored voters in the South had not a fair chance of voting. It was not enough to destroy bribery outside so long as the spectre ghost of rascality stood within. He moved the previous question.

The House refused to second the previous question—ayes 73, noes 91.

After an extended discussion between Mr. Blaine and several Democrats, the House proceeded to vote on the bill and various amendments. A vote was first taken on Mr. Townsend's amendment, providing that the expenditures for election purposes allowed by the law of any State should not be construed as being affected by the act.

The next amendment in order was Mr. Blaine's amendment, including Senators, Representatives and Delegates in Congress in the provisions of the bill.

Mr. BLAINE called for the yeas and nays, and the amendment was agreed to—yeas 128, nays 88.

Mr. Hoar's amendment, providing that nothing in the bill should prevent voluntary contributions for the purpose of circulating documents for the purpose of giving information was next voted upon, and rejected—yeas 91, nays 119.

The next vote was on Mr. Blaine's amendment to the substitute offered by Mr. Brown, of Kentucky, (being the same amendment as offered by Mr. Blaine to the original bill, and adopted.) The amendment was now rejected—ayes 102, nays 107.

The next vote was on an amendment offered by Mr. Goode to Mr. Brown's substitute, making it a misdemeanor for any person to use force, duress, menace, violence or bribery to influence the elections of President, Vice President, Senator, Representative or Delegate in Congress. Adopted—yeas 212, nays 3.

The next vote was on the amendment offered by Mr. Reagan as a substitute for the first section of Mr. Brown's substitute, making it unlawful for any officer, postmaster, clerk or employe of the United States, or for any Senator or member of Congress to solicit, ask, receive or accept any gift for election purposes. Rejected.

The next vote was on Mr. Brown's substitute. The first section is that no officer or employe of the Government shall require or request, give to or receive from any other officer or employe of the same, or other person, directly or indirectly, any money or property or other thing of value for political purposes, and any such officer or employe who shall offend against the provisions of the act shall at once be dismissed from the service of the United States, and also be deemed guilty of a high misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof fined not less than five hundred nor more than three thousand dollars, and imprisoned not more than one year, at the discretion of the Judge trying the case. The second section is the amendment offered by Mr. Goode and adopted. The third section gives United States District Courts jurisdiction of the offences created by the act. The substitute was agreed to without the yeas and nays, and the bill as thus amended was passed—yeas 173, nays 8. Adjourned.

NEW YORK REPUBLICANS.

State Convention at Syracuse.

DELEGATES NOMINATED TO THE NATIONAL CONVENTION.

Specie Payments Demanded.

ROSCOE CONKLING THE CHOICE FOR PRESIDENT.

SYRACUSE, March 22.—A. B. Cornell, Chairman of the State Central Committee, called the Republican State Convention to order to-day in Weiting Hall. Mr. Cornell, in his speech, said for the first time in sixteen years the choice of a Presidential candidate is open to discussion. No distinct public sentiment points to a candidate whose nomination is conceded.

George H. Hoskins was chosen temporary chairman, with the usual number of secretaries. A long discussion took place on the question whether the rules of the Senate or Assembly should govern the Convention. George William Curtis advocated the adoption of the Senate rules, arguing that if the Assembly rules are adopted it will be in the power of the gentleman reporting the resolutions to the Convention to move the previous question, and thus cut off debate on a very crucial question to be decided by the Convention. The Presidential candidate named here, we know, is to be the platform, and he urged that those who desire to have the voice of New York untrammelled in any way should on this vital original proposition take such steps as shall insure freedom of debate.

A call of the roll showed 258 ayes to 130 nays for the Assembly rules, and so they were adopted. This majority vote was regarded as showing the positive strength of Senator Conklin in the convention.

Committees on permanent organization and resolutions were appointed, and a recess was taken till 3 o'clock.

On reassembling, George Dawson was elected permanent chairman, with a long list of Vice Presidents. Mr. Dawson addressed the convention at length.

A. B. Carnell, Andrew D. White, Theodore M. Pomeroy and James M. Matthews, were appointed delegates at large to the National Convention, and E. A. Merritt, H. D. Barnett, Geo. B. Sloan and Alfred O. Judson, Alternates.

The delegates named by the districts are L. B. Prince, George William Curtis, Abraham A. Law, Stewart L. Woodford, Wm. Orton, Benj. K. Phelps, De Witt C. Wheelen, Thos. Murphy, Marshal O. Roberts, Clarence A. Seward, E. D. Morgan, Geo. Opdyke, Wm. H. Robinson, J. W. Husted, Wm. B. Wardin and W. L. Sessions.

The Platform.

The following resolutions were reported:

The representatives of New York, in this centennial of the nation, reaffirm the sacred truths and principles of their fathers, and make the following declarations:

First. We are for the unity of the nation and the just rights of the States, for the full reconciliation and enduring harmony of all sections, for the inviolate preservation of the results of the war and the constitutional rights of every citizen, for the grateful recognition of the brave soldiers of the republic, for thorough retrenchment and reform, for the unsparing pursuit, exposure and punishment of public frauds and dishonesty, for the elevation of the public service and pure and efficient government, for maintaining untarnished the national credit and honor, for a sound currency of coin or paper convertible into coin, and for common schools absolutely free from sectarian influences.

Second. That we charge the Democratic party with being the same in character and spirit as when it sympathized with treason, with making its control of the House of Representatives the triumph and opportunity of the nation's recent foes, with reasserting and applauding in the national capital the sentiments of unrepented rebellion, with sending Union soldiers to the rear and promoting Confederate soldiers to the front, with deliberately proposing to repudiate the plighted faith of the Government, with being equally false and imbecile upon overshadowing financial questions, with thwarting the ends of justice by its partisan mismanagement and obstruction of investigation through the four months of its ascendancy in the lower House of Congress, with proving itself utterly incompetent to administer the Government, and we warn the the country against trusting a party alike unworthy, recreant and incapable.

Third. Without regard to past differences, we cordially invite all who believe that the direction of the Government should not pass into hands that sought to destroy it, and who seek a pure and economical Government by honest and capable officers, to unite with us in fraternal and mutually considerate co-operation for the promotion of these ends.

Fourth. We emphatically condemn the dishonesty and treachery of every official who is faithless to his trust, and approve the injunction to let no guilty man, however high, escape. We believe the virtue of the people which saved the nation through the storm of war will preserve it from the dangers of corruption. We commend the good work of the National Administration in protecting the public treasury and punishing offenders, and in laying down his trust at the close of the period for which he has been chosen, President Grant will carry with him the lasting gratitude of the American people for his patriotic services in war and in peace.

Fifth. As a statesman and patriot of the highest ability and character, whose long and distinguished public career is without reproach, who has faithfully served the cause of freedom and Union through the struggle of the past fifteen years, who has been steadfast to equal rights and financial honesty, and an unflinching exponent of Republican principles, and who possesses the experience, courage and firmness which qualify him to add strength and honor to the Government, we present Roscoe Conkling to the National Republican Convention as our choice for the nomination for President.

Sixth. As delegated representatives of half a million Republican voters of New York, we send cordial greeting to our patriotic brethren throughout the land, and are equally earnest with them for the success of our common cause, and pledging ourselves to the faithful support of the Cincinnati nomination. We give especial assurance that the nomination of our candidate will secure beyond question the thirty-five electoral votes of New York for the Republican ticket,

Upon call Geo. W. Curtis' fifth and sixth resolutions were again read, and Mr. Curtis moved the following substitute for them:

Resolved, That while we would rejoice with pride if the candidate for the Presidency at the convention of this year should be selected from among the Republicans of national reputation in the State of New York, whom New York mostly and most highly honor, yet recognizing that the nomination should be the result of untrammelled deliberation of the National Convention, we willingly leave the selection of a candidate to the patriotic wisdom of that body, in full confidence that it will present the name of some tried and true Republican, whose character and career are a pledge of a pure, economical, vigorous administration of the Government. [Applause.]

Mr. Curtis, in response to loud calls, proceeded to the stage amid applause and cheers, and made a strong speech in support of his substitute. After a long and sharp debate the substitute was rejected—yeas 113, nays 250. So the amendment was lost. The original resolutions were then adopted with dissenting voices, and the convention adjourned.

TERRIBLE EXPLOSION.

A Powder Mill Blown Up—Four Men Literally Torn to Atoms and Six or Seven Severely Injured.

NEW YORK, March 22.—This afternoon about four hundred pounds of "Jupiter" powder, stored in the mill of the Bronx Powder Manufacturing Company at Washingtonville, in the northern section of the city, exploded with great violence. Four men were literally blown to atoms and some six or seven severely injured, of whom one or two will die. The mill was blown to pieces, and the buildings in its immediate vicinity were considerably shattered. Hardly enough of the remains of the victims could be collected on which to hold an inquest. The sound of the explosion was heard for miles around. The explosion is thought to have resulted from too great friction in rubbing together solid and fluid components.

Trouble Among Coal Miners in Ohio.

CLEVELAND, March 22.—At an early hour this morning a body of armed men came to the coal banks at Silver Creek, in the Tuscarawas Valley, and compelled the miners who had gone to work at a reduced price to quit work. Several of the miners attempted to go into the mines and were severely beaten. It is supposed the armed force was composed of striking miners from the Massillon district. A meeting of coal operators controlling the greater part of the Tuscarawas Valley mines was held in this city to-day, at which it was determined to make another reduction of five cents per ton, and giving the miners until April 1st to accept. After that time their places will be filled by outsiders. Trouble is anticipated.

SECOND EDITION

LANCASTER CONVENTION.

The Unwashed Gather from all Parts of the State.

A Little Moral Suasion from the Roughs of Philadelphia—The Police Called in to Pour Oil Upon the Troubled Waters — Pennsylvania's Democratic Delegation for St. Louis.

LANCASTER, PA., March 22.—The Democratic State Convention met in Fulton Hall. H. B. Wright, Chairman of the State Central Committee, called the Convention to order. Hon. Wm. A. Playford, of Fayette, was elected temporary chairman by an almost unanimous vote. Mr. Playford returned thanks for the compliment, counseled harmony, and advised the exposure of corruption wherever it existed. He said there should be no hesitancy in declaring for right principles. Corruption should be investigated even if it implicated the President of the United States.

The following resolution was adopted by a large majority:

That one representative from each Senatorial district be selected as committees on credentials, permanent organization and resolutions, and that the resolutions be referred to the Convention without debate; that the Convention select four Senatorial delegates to the National Convention, two Representative delegates from each Congressional district, and that the Convention select the chairman of the State Central Committee.

A call of the roll showed about fifteen contested seats, most of them from Philadelphia and Luzerne. After the appointment of committees on credentials, organization and resolutions, the Convention adjourned until three o'clock.

A Platform of Platitudes.

A powerful attempt was made to stifle the resolution to appoint a Committee on Resolutions, but Senator Wallace sprang into the breach, and his persuasive eloquence accomplished the passage of the resolution. The purpose of the Committee on Resolutions is to avoid an expression on the Presidency, and generally to produce a platform that will balance nicely on the top rail of the fence so far as the important questions of the day are concerned. The politicians of reputation on the committee are Messrs. Wallace, Randall, Ermentrout, Stanley, Woodward, Buckalew, Coffroth and Silas H. Clarke.

A Disgraceful Fracas

ensued upon the organization of the Committee on Credentials. The Philadelphia roughs took possession of the meeting room of the committee, and prevented them from transacting business, as it was believed they were hostile to some of the delegates, of the ruffian element, whose seats were contested in the Convention. The committee evinced considerable firmness in their determination to meet, and some of the members expressed a readiness to meet force with force, and the prospect for a general row was bright and encouraging. Finally the Mayor was appealed to, and the roughs were forced to make themselves scarce by the police.

Home President Makers.

The following were selected delegates to the St. Louis Convention and Presidential electors from the western part of the State by the various delegations:

Pittsburgh District—Delegates, Wm. J. Brennan, A. F. Keating; Elector, John B. Guthrie.

Allegheny District—Delegates, Malcolm Hay, A. G. Cochrane; Elector, R. M. Gibson.

Westmoreland District—Delegates, Doctor Patterson, of Greene; Charles E. Boyle, of Fayette; Elector, J. J. Haslett, of Westland.

Washington District—Delegates, Ianthus Bently, of Washington; D. J. Morris, of Lawrence; Elector, Wm. B. Dunlap, of Beaver.

Mercer District—Delegates, James A. Stranahan, of Mercer; John Baird, of Butler; Elector, Thomas W. Grayson, of Crawford.

The delegates at large will be Wallace, Clymer, Dill and North. Col. Barr is incensed at Wallace, who he says slaughtered him after promising that he (Wallace) would not be candidate.

The State Committee.

The present indications are that the fight for chairmanship of the State Committee will be between McCandless and John Miller, as it is now quite evident that Myer and McClelland have sensibly weakened since the organization of the convention.

On reassembling Robt. E. Monoghan was elected permanent chairman. Fifty Vice Presidents were chosen. The Committee on Credentials not being ready to report, a recess was taken till 7:30 P. M.

On reassembling the following gentlemen were elected delegates to the National Convention: Wm. A. Wallace, Heister Clymer, A. H. Dill and A. M. North. Charles R. Buckalew was chosen to head the electoral ticket of Pennsylvania.

A platform, embracing a lengthy preamble and eight resolutions, was then adopted. The preamble pointed "with pride to the record of the past," showing the devotion of the Democracy to the Constitution; pledged faithfulness to future trusts; arraigned the administration for its personal government and extravagance, unwise legislation, vicious financial policy, corruption in high places, &c., and after this free-flowing exordium came the resolutions. The first holds that honesty, fidelity and capacity are the only tests of fitness for public service, and the full rigor of the law should be applied to expose official accountability. The second holds that the recent exposures of fraud and corruption call for a searching investigation of every branch of the public service, and Democracy's representatives at Washington are urged to keep at the work. The third resolution calls for retrenchment and economy and commends the action of the House at Washington in cutting down salaries and officials. The fourth resolution endorses a general amnesty for all who were engaged in the Rebellion, and quotes the recommendation of President Grant and the action of a Republican House at a previous session in proof of the wisdom of freeing all from the disabilities thrown around them by participation in the Rebellion. The fifth resolution approves of the constitutional clause which prohibits the division of the school or any other fund of the State for sectarian purposes. The sixth declares that as resumption in 1879 is manifestly impossible, the statute is a deliberate proclamation that upon that date the United States will go into bankruptcy. The seventh declares that gold and silver constitute the only true currency basis, and suggests that Congress should adopt such measures as will most speedily and safely secure the resumption of specie payments, without endangering the business interests of the country. The eighth charges that the present depression of all national Industries is due to the extravagance of reckless Republican officeholders. This resolution concludes with expressions rejoicing at the opportunity to celebrate the Centennial of American independence, and the people of the sister States all felicitated upon the additional gratulatory fact that the celebration will occur in that city where the Declaration of Independence was given birth.

A resolution endorsing Jerry Black as a candidate for President was voted down.

Hon. Wm. McClellan, of Pittsburgh, was chosen Chairman of the State Central Committee.

The Convention then adjourned.

FOREIGN ADVICES.

TUNIS.

Attempted Murder of an Italian Representative.

LONDON, March 22.—A private letter dated Tunis, March 14, says: We had great excitement here yesterday in consequence of the attempted murder of Judge Puliga, of the Italian Consulate, and the killing of the would-be assassin by Judge Dragoman. The body was brought, followed by an immense mob, to the Italian Consulate, and the turmoil was so great that the troops were called out to guard the approaches to the Italian and American Consulates. They had great difficulty in keeping the mob back for several hours with fixed bayonets leveled at them. It was feared that there might be a renewal of the fanatical excitement which spread such alarm in Tunis some years ago. Guigino Puliga is the Italian Consular Judge at Tunis. It is ascertained from a gentleman well informed in Tunisian affairs that for some time there have been unpleasant relations between the Italian Consulate and the Tunisian authorities. Some months ago the Consul neglected to pay an important ceremonious visit to the Bey. The palace authorities felt the affront keenly, but took no official action. It is probable that on the 13th Judge Puliga was walking or driving in the city, attended by Dragoman, when the attack was made.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The American Granger's Mission.

LONDON, March 22.—Mr. Wright, the United States Grange Commissioner, has returned to England after an extensive tour on the continent. His report is in the main gratifying. He met with considerable success in Germany. While there he had an interview with Herr Falk, Minister of Education, and with Herr Freidenhal, Minister of Agriculture, at which he was furnished much valuable information relating to German agricultural associations. In England Mr. Wright conferred with the Central Chamber of Agriculture and other societies. He will remain here until after the Industrial Congress, which holds its first session on April 15th. Mr. Ruskin has written to him, saying he approves of the system of granges, and hopes that they will take root and prosper in Great Britian. Mr. Wright is not sanguine of any such result at present, but thinks a basis of a union will soon be formed between British co-operative societies and corresponding Grange societies in America.

Irish Riflemen Going to the Centennial.

DUBLIN, March 22.—The members of the Irish Rifle Association have unanimously voted to accept the invitation of the National Rifle Association of America to compete for the championship of the world. They have also agreed to challenge the Americans through the Amateur Rifle Club of New York to shoot a return match at Creedmore in September, after the Centennial match, on the same terms as the Dollymount matches.

FRANCE.

Changes of Prefects.

PARIS, March 22.—The Republican papers consider the changes of Prefects as satisfactory. The *Bien Publique*, however, complains of the maintenance of the Marquis of Fournes, the Prefect of the department of Savoy.

The *Messages De Paris* asserts that this was due to the intervention of President MacMahon, who opposed the removal of the Marquis because all the elections in Savoy have been confirmed, therefore there is no ground for charging the Prefect with illegal interference in the election.

Elections to Fill Vacancies.

The elections to fill the vacancies caused by double elections, have been fixed for the 16th of April.

The Bureaux of the Chamber of Deputies have decided to annul the election of M. Gavini, a Bonapartist, returned from Corsica.

GERMANY.

The Imperial Railway Scheme.

BERLIN, March 22.—The Governments of Hesse Darmstadt and Brunswick, and those of most of the Thuringian Grand Duchies and Principalities, it is understood, favor the Imperial railway scheme, but the South German States are preparing a counter proposition for the control of the railway administration by the separate States, with, as far as possible, uniformity in tariffs and working regulations.

Conference of Emperors.

BERLIN, March 22.—The Emperor of Russia will visit Emperor William at Berlin while on his way to Ems at the end of April.

CUBA.

The Yacht Octavia.

HAVANA, March 21.—The yacht Octavia, which was recently captured by a Spanish war vessel, arrived at Porto Rico on the 14th. She sailed under the English flag, and was cleared for New York. She had thirty-six men and two woman on board. It is not known here whether the men included any Cuban insurgents. The reported sale of the Octavia at Kingston to the Haytian insurgents is false.

ITALY.

The New Cabinet.

ROME, March 22.—Depretis has accepted the Presidency of the Council and Ministry of Finance. The following members of the new cabinet have also accepted portfolios: Melegara, Foreign Affairs, and Mancini, Justice.

TURKEY.

An Armistice.

VIENNA, March 22.—The *Political Correspondence* says that in consequence of the armistice, it is considered very probable that the Turks and insurgents will shortly commence direct negotiations for peace.

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Overdrafts		815 72
United States bonds to secure circulation		50,000 00
U. S. Bonds on hand		2,800 00
Due from app'd reserve agents	Currency, $23,444 04 Gold, 7,375 01	30,819 05
Due from other National Banks		30,936 41
Due from State Banks and Bankers		3,865 77
Real Estate, Furniture and Fixtures		17,000 00
Current Expenses, Taxes paid and Interest		2,576 43
Premiums paid		10,475 53
Checks and other cash items		876 65
Exchanges for Clearing House		4,139 28
Bills of other National Banks		6,787 50
Fractional Currency, including nickels		515 20
Specie, including Gold Treasury Notes		521 20
Legal Tender Notes		30,450 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		2,250 00
Total		$478,897 98
LIABILITIES.		
Capital Stock paid in		$200,000 00
Surplus Fund		10,000 00
Other Undivided Profits		5,899 04
National Bank Notes outstanding		45,000 00
Individual deposits subject to check	$202,712 76	
Due to State Banks and Bankers	15,286 18	
		217,998 94
Total		$478,897 98

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I, W. W. Scott, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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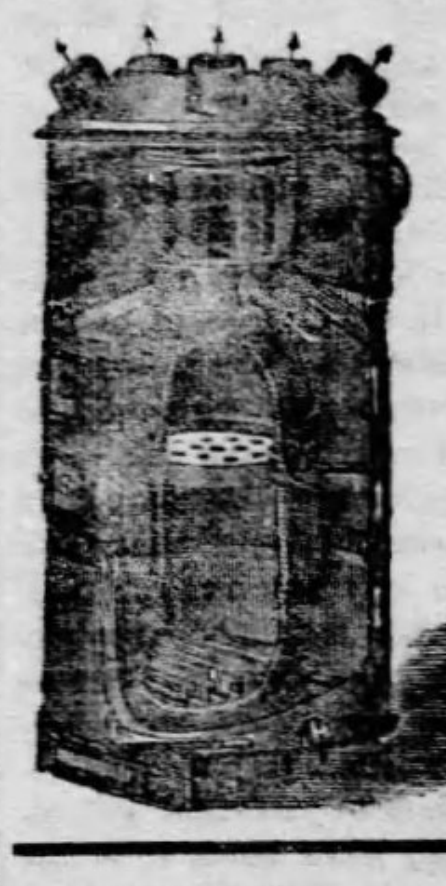

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MARSH put in an appearance in Washington, and went on duty before the Judiciary Committee. It is probable that we will soon have active operations developed in the BELKNAP affair.

WE HAVE only to say to the *Leader* that when a person is summoned to appear "forthwith," he may presume he is wanted; and when he is not summoned at all, that he is not wanted. All we asked of it was to respect the truth; and it still tries to crawl away from it. Whining over epithets doesn't excuse lying.

THE effort has been made, in the New York Legislature, to pass a bill requiring railroad companies to furnish every paying passenger a seat. It failed, however, as much by dodging as else. The bill was in the interest of the society for protecting animals from cruelty—and the dodgers are believed to have had substantial reasons for their absence.

IF the testimony of ex-Senator STEWART may be accepted, it is possible that the Emma Mine may yet prove a valuable piece of property. He claims that the Americans, and especially Gen. SCHENCK, have been the victims of English conspiracy, rather than the opposite. If it should turn out that all this cry against SCHENCK and others was a mere money making scheme, it will not look well, to say the least.

THE Democrats at Lancaster had a grand time of it yesterday—warring and fighting continually, particularly over the Committee on Contested Seats. WALLACE apparently had the lines well in hand, but Mr. BARR, of this city, was badly laid out by his friend, WALLACE, whom he had served so well. WALLACE had pledged that he would not be a delegate to the National Convention, but at the last he came up for the position, and flattened out the movement in the interest of JERRY BLACK. The roughs from Philadelphia made it lively all around—and anything but a brotherly feeling prevailed.

THE Democracy at Lancaster had their usual jubilee yesterday, and were as much interested as though there were some prospects of success in the Presidential campaign. As yet it is a tactical struggle—primarily to determine who shall be the representative great man among the Democracy in this State. Then will come in the candidacy issue. Judge BLACK is a home choice for the Presidency, but the hopes of those who are ploughing for him are not so roseate. They want Pennsylvania to put forward a candidate, so that they can gracefully roll over to the stronger man who may turn up. Then by giving way a chance may be had either on the Vice Presidency, or some cabinet arrangement. The fight, at all events, has been, and will be, a merry one. We wish joy to the contesting parties.

FROM the moment the Legislative Committee began its operations, the supposition was that it designed to get at the bottom facts in the Nation Trust Company affair. If any one thing ever injured the credit of the city, that did. We rasped the committee because we feared they lost sight of that, by giving undue attention to side issues. But as soon as they show a tendency to look into this phase of the question, opposition arises chiefly in and around City Hall. Why? There is an unrevealed feature of the affair,—the division of the money that came of the bonds. The credit of the city demands that this matter be righted; and justice to the poor and innocent stockholders of the Nation Trust Company require it. We insist that the Finance Committee report favorably the resolution asking the Governor to pardon GRIER on condition that he tell what he knows on the subject. It is right that the should do so.

WE INCLINE to think Mr. DANA, nominated as Minister to the Court of St. James is not well advised, politically. At the first, he determined to go before the Foreign Affairs Committee, and clear himself, in so far as his *honor* had been assailed, not referring to the question of ability. Since then he concluded that he would not do this, as it would be degrading to go before a committee that had condemned him on *ex parte* testimony. In this he was wrong. The Committee was undoubtedly impressed with the strong statements made by General BUTLER and Mr. LAWRENCE, but did not report and were not intending to do so till he had the opportunity to reply to the charges made. On his refusal to appear, the committee determined to report against him. He is certainly unfortunate in his position, as the charges made have not been authoritatively denied. We believe he could have made a successful defence in the case, but as he did not, they will weigh against his confirmation. It is, for him, an unfortunate affair, although it is barely possible that he may be confirmed.

APROPOS of the BEARDSLEY-HAYS cadet case, an Eastern journal proposes that cadetships be thrown open to all the young men of the country whose parents can afford to give them the scientific and professional education that is to be obtained there, and that is not within their reach anywhere else in this country. Why should these institutions be closed to the sons of men who will not stoop to beg or to buy the privilege of admission from members of Congress? There is no good reason for it. As Mrs. BEARDSLEE, the mother of the cadet whose nomination was purchased, put it to the committee the other day, she knew she could not get the prize without "some sort of hugger-muggering," and she thought the simplest and most independent way was to buy it. Now, Congress can remedy much of the scandal that has occurred of late by breaking up the choice system, and let these national institutions be run on the principle of the great military schools of France, England and the other European States. When young men choose to fit themselves for the army or navy, they should have a chance without having to resort to the crime of buying or begging the right from Congressmen or cadetship brokers.

INVESTIGATION, rightly pursued, is a right and good thing; wrongfully followed, it becomes a nuisance and annoyance. We criticized freely the Legislative Investigating Committee while it was wandering around, but stand ready to applaud, so soon as it shall get down to business, as it promises to do. But of all the investigations, none compare in badness with some of those in Washington, where the worst forms of petty partisanship takes the place of the public welfare. Even the *Tribune* of New York condems the pertinacity with which an investigating committee has been hunting after Postmaster General JEWELL. It claims that he has been one of the most circumspect and conscientious department officers that Washington has known for many years. "He has been particularly careful to avoid the scandalous misuse of public property for private purposes which has been so common under this Administration. He travels at his own expense, even on the business of his office, and his family would as soon think of going to heaven in a fiery chariot as of taking a ride in a department landaulet. Yet the committee have been questioning and cross-questioning drivers and baggagemen, and having up almost everybody connected with the department." This is mere petty partisanship; it is not reform; and it not only embarrasses the Government and gives needless pain to deserving officers, but it is certain in the long run to cover the Democratic House with discredit. Any school-boy can see that the sole object of such grubbing is to find mud to throw at a political opponent; not to purify the Civil Service, but to dirty the Administration.

THE best gold we have, after all,—to use a Hibernianism,—is wheat. In New York, England, and the west, within a few days the market has been active, and wheat has advanced from five to seven cents per bushel. This advance, in view of the fact that the visible supply in American markets is about seventeen million bushel, against twelve million bushels last March, naturally occasions some surprise. The season for spring sowing has not been good in England, and following an unfavorable autumn, is a circumstance of a character to cause quiet. Besides this, English buyers seeing large supplies in foreign markets, have bought so sparingly in the past three months that the quantity afloat for English markets, became reduced to less than half as much as one year ago. The large stock at the New York market has been so concentrated that urgent buyers have been compelled to meet the views of holders. The growing crop of winter wheat generally looks well, but the rains and snows in the Northwest this month have not been favorable for early spring sowing. However, it is early yet. There is, besides, undoubtedly a large quantity of wheat in the hands of farmers, as prices have been for some months disappointing and unsatisfactory.

EX-SENATOR STEWART speaks very positively with reference to the Emma Mine. He claims that it has been the object of one of the greatest conspiracies ever known, and the most earnest, vigorous and persistent efforts have been made to ruin all connected with it. The first success of the conspirators, whom Mr. Stewart calls "the rascals who were engaged in bearing the stock," was when the vein of ore in the mine lessened in volume and richness. This, he says, was a temporary thing, likely to happen and nearly always happening in every mine. Those bearing the stock took advantage, and bore down without mercy, until everybody became panic-stricken. After putting an incompetent and drunken superintendent, who did not attend to his business. and did not work the mine for the purpose of getting out ore, but for the purpose of preventing the production of the ore, the management was very reckless and extravagant. Mr. STEWART says that this same management would have ruined for the time being the Consolidated Virginia Mine, now paying at the rate of $2,000,000 a month. The Emma Mine was stocked at $5,000,000, but ex-Senator STEWART says the stock is worth nothing on the market. He is, however, very strong in his confidence as to the value of the mine. It is, he says, worth $10,000,000 to-day, and may develop to many times that amount. He says that Gen. SCHENCK has been most disgracefully misrepresented and misunderstood, and that the public will one day acknowledge it. The correspondent of the New York *Tribune* is authority for the above, and should testimony and fact sustain it, General SCHENCK will be proven to have been hounded down as a mere speculation.

DON'T LIKE IT.

The organ of City Hall is averse to having GRIER brought back, and is particularly opposed to any investigation that will reveal the whereabouts of "missing" bonds. It pleads that inasmuch as the city has been secured, they are not missing, so far as the city is concerned. It also argues that the leading parties to the transaction are, three of them, dead; that GRIER might not tell the truth, or even anything, and if pardoned, would be free; and that the policy of treating with criminals is ill-advised. It will be readily seen that these are all special pleas, with nothing in them. The pardon for GRIER could be based on his stating the truth, and should he fail to do this, it need be of no effect. Of course, we do not seek to punish dead men, but the trouble is, there is a very general belief that several live men are involved more deeply in those transactions than has ever been proven. So far as the city settlement is concerned, this will not be affected. It is not the city that is investigating just now, and anything done by the Legislative Investigating Committee will not invalidate or in any way affect, unfavorably, the mortgages held by the city. Admit that the stockholders in the Nation Trust Company are the interested parties: are they not residents of the city? And is it not generally believed that the misfortune that overtook them rests unequally on them? Some went into bankruptcy, others plead poverty, while still others marched up manfully and gave what they had in settlement of the debt. But shall we leave them helpless and ruined, when it is possible to ascertain the real wrong-doers, and compel them to help make restitution? They are residents of the city, and entitled to its influence, protection and aid in bringing offenders to justice.

If we are correctly informed, it will be wise to act as we suggested. We have information that Mr. GRIER may yet make a sworn narrative of facts, which will be sent here and made public. It is far better that he should be allowed to return, where his statements can be canvassed, and the exact truth elicited. A sworn statement, giving names, dates and transactions will bear very heavily on parties who, with GRIER here, might be able to so explain or modify his testimony as to break, in a measure, its force. At all events, if we are correctly informed, it is a choice whether they will accept one or the other. We insist that the public and the poor and mistreated stockholders of the Nation Trust Company, are far more interested in the pardon of this man, than in keeping him away. Grant that their obligations to the city are not released, should guilty parties be found, who received the moneys referred to, they can be prosecuted by the stockholders, and whatever they are compelled to pay will release the stockholders to just that extent. Unfortunate as they have been, it is the duty of the city to aid them, in every reasonable way to ascertain who were the criminals, and what the amounts they received. Nor will this jeopardize the city's securities.

We have believed, and do believe that the innocent stockholders of the Nation Trust Company might have made a successful contest against the city, on account of this bond business,—had they been well advised. Look at the history of the affair. Before any revelations were made, the cashier, GRIER, ran away. SWOOPE became counsel on both sides of the case, and the investigation began. The bonds were reported to a given amount, to have gone to the Nation Trust Company, and then negotiated in Philadelphia, *but what became of the proceeds?* Was any effort made to find out, except by calling a few of the Directors before an Alderman? A movement was made to prosecute Ross,—*but what became of it?* Were not parties, who now control, even the editorial columns of one of our dailies, known to be anxious that he should be prosecuted gently? At all events, those prosecutions were so skilfully managed that they hurt no one. At the same time, the money was unaccounted for; and it is simply ridiculous to suppose that the amount realized on the bonds was sunk in the regular operations of the bank. We do not remember that this has ever been pretended. Hence it is still a very pregnant question, what became of that money? These questions are as important now as ever they were.

And now a word as to where the city is interested. It is declared that city bonds have declined seven per cent. since the agitation of this subject, and that the investigation in progress is the cause of it. We do not imagine that it has been the investigation that caused the decline. At all events, we will have our broken credit redeemed sooner by a thorough and impartial investigation, which will disclose just what our financial standing is. Financiers look at facts, not rumors. In closing, we will remind the public that it is rather surprising that City Hall should fight the return of GRIER. What interest has it in it? What honest objection can there be to his return? It is known that there was crime connected with the abstraction of the proceeds of those bonds. Who are the guilty parties? Not the innocent stockholders of the Nation Trust Company; nor, do we believe GRIER received any considerable share of the proceeds. And until the city is willing that that crime shall be ferreted out, and the proper parties punished, she does not deserve to have credit. We have no right to roll on innocent and poor persons the expense of others' guilt, and then deliberately deny them the poor boon of securing the punishment of guilty parties. Exposure at least, should be accorded those who committed the wrong. GRIER will come back, if guaranteed immunity; and his testimony will put an entirely new face on the Nation Trust Company affair. The city is bound, by a sense of honor and right, to apply to the Governor to have him pardoned. Until this is done, she cannot escape the charge of compounding with guilty parties in obstructing the truth.

"LINGERIE."

A Sadder Though a Considerably Wiser Man.

A very singular incident is told of a St. Louis gentleman who, one day last week, found himself placed in what must have been most distressing circumstances. The gentleman mentioned is actively engaged in business, and even when at home his attention is so occupied with thoughts of his affairs that he is frequently absent-minded and forgetful. The other morning his wife did what wives should never do when they can avoid it; she burdened him with a commission when he started down town after breakfast, telling him to go to a certain ladies' furnishing store and there obtain some of a particular kind of trimming she described, adding, incidentally, that she wanted to use it upon "lingerie." The obedient husband received the commission, made a mental note, and started off, resolving that he would make the purchase immediately upon getting down town, lest during the day he might forget all about it. In the street car he met a friend and engaged in an animated debate upon Belknap's case. When finally he stepped out of the car on Washington avenue he had forgotten all of his wife's instructions, save that the word "lingerie" recurred to him. He hadn't any more idea of what "lingerie" was than his wife might have of "seller the month," but he dashed into the furnishing store, thinking it would be all right. "I'll get her some lingerie, and get enough yards so she'll be satisfied, anyhow," he thought. In the store a dignified young lady advanced to wait on him:

"I want some of your best lingerie," he said.

"Yes, sir. What shall I show you?"

"Some lingerie. I want some lingerie."

The young lady blushed and looked indignant. "But what particular article do you wish," she demanded with some asperity.

The man began to get indignant, too. He thought the young lady was trifling with him. He assumed his best business air, as he remarked brusquely:

"There is no occasion, miss, for any misunderstanding or delay. Give me fifteen yards of the best lingerie you have in the store. Do it up and I'll pay for it and send up a boy to get it. Never mind the cost."

Then he added flatteringly and soothingly: "I like to see a pretty lingerie on a young woman. That's nice of yours," gazing admiringly in a general way on the young lady's dress.

"You old brute!" The saleswoman's face was scarlet as she disappeared, and then the proprietor of the store came up from another department. He wanted to know what the customer had insulted the young lady for, and he sent a boy for a policeman, who came in, with a big club in his hand and blood in his eye, on the instant. The explanation lasted half an hour, and even then wasn't entirely satisfactory. There is one lady in town now who can't go errands with her husband.

MARSHAL MACMAHON.

The French President's Quarters at Versailles.

Great preparations are being made at Versailles for the reception of the Marshal, the new deputies and the Senators. The apartments of the President of the Assembly, in the main body of the palace, are being swept out and garnished for M. d'Audiffret-Pasquier's successor. The Prefecture, where the Marshal resides and holds his receptions when the Assembly is sitting, has undergone a thorough change. Stone partitions have been destroyed and movable screens placed in their stead, in order that the President, who is very fond of walking up and down the room, may have plenty of space for his indoor constitutional. He has also had the distribution of his bedroom completely changed. It is now all ablaze with carpets, chairs, and curtains exactly the color of the red breeches worn by the army.

Opposite the door, in a corner of the room, is a long, narrow iron bedstead, with only one mattress. This is the Marshal's camp bed, the one he used all through the last war; and over it, on the wall, hangs a trophy of swords, revolvers and epaulets. By the bedside is a small black ebony table, a present of the Queen of Spain, which is hollowed out in the middle to the depth of ten inches. In this cavity are some choice Havana cigars, and around them, on the table itself, books and a wax taper, by the light of which the Marshal smokes and reads every night on going to rest until it dies out in its socket. On the opposite wall, immediately on the right of the door, is a large picture of the battle of Solferino, painted by Horace Vernet, and representing the Marshal heading a cavalry charge.

Gail Hamilton on Character.

When the good ship Schiller was steered by a faithless captain upon the fatal rocks and went down slowly in her doom, a group of six people sat in the pavilion, holding each other's hands, calm, praying, awaiting death. One was a girl, young, petted, surrounded with luxury, having "fed on the roses and lain in the lilies of life," and one was a scholar, trained in many tongues, a woman of science and skill, with a purpose and a career, and one was a young daughter, with life all before her, and one was a wife and one was a husband, with their consecrated past. And there sat they, in the midst of the night, going down slowly into the shrouding waters, calm, prayerful, conquering death. And as the waters rose around them they arose, still holding each other's hands. And so, weak, helpless, they were engulfed in the awful depths, but, sublimely triumphant, they passed out into the unseen universe. It is character that prevails. What odds whether it is music or medicine or costume or color, a man's unencumbering garb or a woman's multitudinous drapery that has occupied the mind, if so be it can encounter the vicissitudes of life with fortitude and face death with tranquillity?

Be Economical.

"Take care of the pennies." Look well to your spending. No matter what comes in, if more goes out you will be always poor. The art is not in making money, but in keeping it. Little expenses, like mice in a barn, when they are many, make great waste. Hair by hair heads grow bald, straw by straw the thatch goes off the cottage, and drop by drop the rain comes into the chamber. A barrel is soon empty if the tap leaks but a drop a minute. When you mean to save, begin with your mouth. Many thieves pass down the red lane. The ale jug is a great waste. In all other things keep within compass. Never stretch your legs further than your blankets will reach, or you will soon be cold. In clothes choose suitable and lasting stuff, and not tawdry fineries. To be warm is the main thing, never mind the looks. A fool may make money, but it needs a wise man to spend it. Remember, it is easier to build two chimnies than to keep one going. If you give all to back and board, there is nothing left for the savings bank. Fare hard and work hard when you are young, and you will have a chance to rest when you are old.

The Toilets of Ladies in Washington.

Since I circumnavigated the globe with Captain Cook in the seventeenth century, I do not think I have seen so much and so little dressing as there is in Washington. The extremes range from utter simplicity to lavish prodigality. If you want to see as much of The Sex as possible, go to an evening dress parade in Washington. In the crush, the *tout ensemble* is that of a billowy sea of drapery, with animated busts moving about in it. The billows move to the volptous swell of perfumed airs from the orchestra; and the busts are protected from the winter weather by various calorific devices, in the nature of ear rings, necklaces and point lace. Bobbing about in the sea are ridiculous looking buoys in white neckties and clawhammer coats. These buoys seem to mark the points of danger. Where there is a specially dangerous point, with a syren to draw the unwary to destruction, you will see several of these black buoys, helplessly bobbing their effectual heads.—*Cor. Ohio State Journal.*

THE POINT OF THE JOKE.

Mr. Sniffin's Story.

Mr. Sniffin was at a dinner party given a few days ago at Boddley's. While the company were at the table Sniffin said, in a loud voice:

"By the way did you read that mighty good thing in the *Bulletin* the other day, about the woman over in Pencader? It was one of the most amusing things that ever came under my observation. The woman's name you see was Emma. Well, sir, there were two young fellows paying attention to her, and after she accepted one of them, the other also proposed to her, and as she felt certain that the first one wasn't in earnest she accepted the second one too. So a few days later both of 'em called at the same time, both of them claimed her hand, and both insisted on marrying her at once. Then, of course, she found herself face to face with a mighty unpleasant—unpleasanter—er—er—less see what's the word I want? Unpleasant—er—er. Blamed if I haven't forgotten the word."

"Predicament," suggested Boddley.

"No, that's not it. What's the name of that thing with two horns? Unpleasant—er—er—hang it, it's gone, clear out of my mind."

"A cow," hinted Miss Gridley.

"No, not a cow."

"Maybe it's a buffalo," remarked Dr. Potts.

"No, no kind of an animal. Something else with two horns. Mighty queer I can't recall it."

"Perhaps it's a brass band," observed Butterwick.

"Or a man who's had a couple of drinks," suggested Peter Lamb.

"Of course not."

"You don't mean a fire company?" asked Mrs. Boddley.

"N—no. That's the confounded queerest thing I ever heard of, that I can't remember that word," said Mr. Sniffin, getting warm and beginning to feel miserable.

"Well give us the rest of the story without it," said the Boddley.

"That's the mischief of it," said Mr. Sniffin.

"The whole joke turns on that infernal word."

"*Two* horns did you say?" asked Dr. Potts.

"Maybe it is a cat fish?"

"Or a snail?" remarked the judge.

"N—no—none of those."

"Is it an elephant or a walrus?" asked Mrs. Potts.

"I guess I'll have to give it up," said Mr. Sniffin wiping the perspiration from his brow.

"Well that's the sickest old story I ever run across," remarked Butterwick, to Boddely. Then everybody smiled, and Mr. Sniffin excused himself upon the ground that he had to meet a man, and he withdrew.

The mystery is yet unsolved. We never published such a story as that; and we have an impression that Sniffin was trying to build one up by bringing the woman's name, Emma, somehow into a pun with the word "Dilemma." We are glad he failed. A man who undertakes to palm off such jokes upon this paper can be spared from society without anybody experiencing a sense of loss.

A REMARKABLE TOILET.

Part of the Wardrobe of a Celebrated Actress.

Miss Rose Eytinge, whose impersonation of *Rose Michel* has made her famous, has in her possession the only souvenir in this country of Mrs. Wood, the once celebrated singer, who encouraged Miss Cushman's talent, and put her on the stage as a singer. This souvenir consists of a very valuable pair of diamond ear-rings, set in the old-time fashion in one solid bed of silver. They are very quaint, and were a present from Mrs. Wood to Miss Eytinge's mother. Miss Eytinge will soon begin her starring tour. In each city she will open in "Rose Michel," to be followed by a Centennial drama written expressly for her. One of the dress which she will wear in this piece is an heirloom, having belonged to an ancestress who lived in Washington's day and which was worn to Martha's receptions. The satin slip, as it was then called, or, as we should say, underskirt, was white, but is now of a rich cream color at night; in day time it shows the discoloration of age. This slip is so narrow that it is a wonder how any women ever walked with ease in it. Around the bottom is a simple row of very costly lace, of the kind known as Honiton. The overdress is an India satin, "Turkey" red, as our ancestors had it. It is cut close to the form with a few gathers at the back—a modern tieback is nothing to it; the queer old waist terminates just below the bust. It is rather diamond-shaped than square in the neck, with a fall of white lace, with which also the skirt of the "Turkey" is trimmed.

The shoes are most singular. It seems as if no women ever could have walked in them, but the sole show that they have been worn. They are of white satin, with the toe part sharpened almost to a point, while the heel is placed in the center of the slipper; the heel is about two inches high, and at the end resembles the stern of an inverted clay pipe. Miss Eytinge thinks she will not be able to wear these Centennial shoes. Some of the incidents in the life of her ancestress have been woven into the play. Miss Eytinge is the most talented of a very talented family. Sol. Eytinge, the artist, is too well known to need description, and to name all the others who have won distinction would take too much of your space.

Parental Treachery.

A smart young boy of nine, says the Chicago *Tribune*, attends school at Evanston. Sometimes, especially when the circus is in that latitude or the boys get up a dog fight, he does not attend school, though he pretends that he does. Last week he gave himself a holiday to attend professionally at an exhibition of gymnastics, to which the admission was one cent, and, being desirous of trying a new policy, went to his father and confessed his fault, making the preliminary condition that neither of his parents should lick him. His father is a man of his word, and not only refrained from chastising the culprit but gave him a "scuse" to disarm his teacher's wrath. The unsuspecting school boy with his shining morning face and satchel crept next morning like a snail unwillingly to school, presented his "scuse," and was so condignly licked that he thinks that for the rest of his life he must either give up coasting or lie flat on his stomach. He doesn't know that his "scuse" read as follows: "Mis Haze—Pleas lik the baer for runing away. Lik him Well. No mor at preasant. Yours respectively, Mr. OLIVER PERKINS.

Apple Blossoms and Onions.

An æsthetic Ohio editor writes: "I don't know why it is or how it is, but one woman steals over the senses like a bower of honeysuckles, twined with graceful tendrils and odorous blossoms; she is as harmoniously perfect throughout as a faultless vine or flowing gladiolus; there is no touch of color or fold of drapery lacking; one would as soon think of adorning a rose bush with an elephant's ears as to imagine any evolution of more fitness in the perfect symmetry of form and color. Another, with estimable qualities of mind and heart, looks like a Dutch farm-yard in Pennsylvania, with hollyhocks and sunflowers dabbed on with a tack hammer, on the side of her head, the flat of her back, or wherever there is vacant space among the garden vegetables. Men and brethren, we cannot be expected to know why this is onewise, while that is otherwise. The same wise Creator that gives us apple-blossoms gives us also onions, and we can only be silent and adore."

A Word About Marriage.

A physician writes the following sensible advice: My profession has thrown me among women of all classes, and my experience teaches me that God never gave man a greater proof of his love than to place woman here with him. My advice is: Go, propose to the most sensible girl you know. If she says yes, tell her how much your income is, from what source derived, and tell her you will divide the last shilling with her, and love her with all your heart in the bargain. An then keep your promise. My word for it, she will live within your income, and to your last hour you will regret that you didn't marry sooner. Gentlemen, don't worry about female extravagance and feminine untruth. Just you be true to her, love her sincerely, and throw it up to her frequently, and a more fond, faithful, foolish slave you will never meet anywhere. You won't deserve her, I know, but she will never know it. Now throw aside pride and selfishness, and see what will come of it.

A California Dinner.

The dinner was lavish and luxurious, lacking nothing but restraint and delicacy. There was game in profusion, fat but flavorless. The fruits were characteristic. The enormous peaches were blowzy in color and robust in fibre; the pears were prodigious and dropsical, and looked as if they wanted to be tapped; the strawberries were overgrown and yet immature—rather as if they had been arrested on their way to become pineapples; with the exception of the grapes, which were delicate in color and texture, the fruit might have been an ironical honoring by nature of Mr. Dumphy's lavish drafts.—*Bret. Harte, in "Gabriel Conroy."*

STATE NEWS.

THE exact loss by the recent fire in Greenville aggregates $10,000.

FOUR new school houses are to be erected in Mt. Pleasant during the coming summer.

A NEW railroad is talked of to run from Scottdale to Mt. Pleasant, in Westmoreland county.

BUT little mining is being done in the Mahoning Valley, the price of labor being a matter of dispute.

SIMON J. MILLER, the defaulting ex-Treasurer of Westmoreland county, has been released from jail on $11,000 bail.

MT. PLEASANT is crowing over Greensburg because there was enough enterprise in the Mt. to sustain a lecture course during the Winter.

CHARLES MCCORMICK, of Warren, county, aged sixty-five, shot himself last week to ease himself of life's troubles. He succeeded. He had been dissipating.

CHARLES O'BOYLE, an old man fifty years of age, convicted of rape on the person of Lizzie Lidden, a little deaf and dumb girl, was sentenced to eleven years' imprisonment, by Judge Pershing, in Luzerne county, on Monday.

THE Oil City chief of police made the following entry in his register recently: "Ike Sloan, the prisoner, knocked me down, blackened my right eye, called me an ass, a sourkrout, a bull head and an idiot—all of which I certify to be true."

AT Scranton, Pa., the old Catholic convent, used by the Sisters of Charity, since the removal into the new academy, as a school house, was burned Saturday night. Another fire destroyed the stables of the St. Charles Hotel, with several valuable horses and a number of adjoining dwellings. Total loss $20,000.

HERE is a pretty "tall" pigeon story from the Connellsville *Tribune*: A large flock of wild pigeons over a mile in length and a quarter of a mile wide, passed north along the ridge on Saturday morning. Large flocks of wild pigeons have been rising in the Laurel Ridge south of the Yough river for a week or more.

A HOSPITABLE LADY gave her young friends a party the other night, and when round dances were proposed, she strenuously objected; "but," she added, "if any of the boys wish to hug the girls, let them sit down upon the sofas and go right at it in earnest—but no round dances, mind you." They went at it, and seemed to enjoy themselves every bit as much as if they had glided in round dances all the evening. And the girls are "just dying," as one of them expressed it, for that lady to give another party.—*Norristown Herald.*

THE BLACK HILLS.

A Picture That is Not Quite So Rosy.

Unless emigrants are prepared to go to work cutting timber and tilling the ground, and to assume the other trials, and pains of a pioneer life to eke out an existence, they should take warning from the experience of a man writing from Custer City, in the Black Hills, to the Chicago *Tribune*. He finds that claim owners are anxious to trade off their claims for flour and bacon, and that the miners were earning at the most from 50 cents to $1 a day. He has not been able to find any occupation that would yield a fair day's wages. Such direct testimony as this ought to deter men from yielding to the new fever which the report of the gold in the Black Hills has excited, and ought to offset the efforts of speculators who are making up emigration parties for their own personal profit. The amount of poverty, suffering, deprivation, and misery in the Black Hills during the coming season will only be limited by the number of impecunious emigrants who shall flock thither in the expectation of finding gold in paying quantities. Even if there were more gold there than has yet been discovered, the cost of getting it would in the aggregate largely exceed its value after it was obtained; but, under the present circumstances, any man who goes to the Black Hills for any other purpose than that of pleasure, health or sight-seeing, is wasting his money and time only to court danger and suffering.

Dickens' Christmas Carol.

Mr. Smalley writes to the *Tribune*: The manuscript of Dickens' "Christmas Carol," which I mentioned lately as on exibition in a London bookseller's window, may be had for the moderate sum of $750. Considering that an entire manuscript of one of Scott's novels has been sold by auction within a few years, for a third of this sum, the amateur of Dickins autographs may be advised to wait before purchasing. No doubt, however, the value of this is greatly augmented by the fact that all or most of the other manuscript of Dicken's stories are now, by Mr. Forster's bequest the inalienable property of the South Kensington Museum.

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Would call special attention to the new shape of Stone China just received; It is much stronger than that usually sold, a very pretty shape, thin, and in appearance like China; sells at the same price as common Stone China. Warranted free from crazing. Have exclusive sale of it in this city.
CHINA.
China, the cheapest article for table use now in the market. Its first cost but little more than Stone China, looks better and wears more than twice as long. Many articles of China are sold at the same price as Stone China.
101 piece Dinner Set, best quality, only $30.
GLASS
All the latest novelties. All kinds of Table Glassware,
AT EXTREMELY LOW PRICES.
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TUESDAY, MARCH 21st,
SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT OF NEW SPECIALTIES,
AND
SPECIAL GOOD BARGAINS OPENED TO-DAY, AT
WM. SEMPLE'S, Nos. 165, 167 and 169 Federal Street, Allegheny City, Pa.

Having secured some SPECIAL GOOD BARGAINS, we shall offer this week EXTRA INDUCEMENTS in all kinds and classes of Goods in every department of the house, prices lower than we ever before had the pleasure of offering, and our stock now being VERY COMPLETE and EXCEEDINGLY ATTRACTIVE, an examination will amply repay.

On our Black Alpaca counter we have placed some special bargains, and not confining our customers to one particular brand, they have a large line from which to select and their own choice and pleasure as to weight and finish.
At 28c, An extra bargain in
BLACK ALPACAS
At 37½c, Special good value in BLACK ALPACAS.
At 45c and 50c, Superior quality in BLACK ALPACAS.
These goods being our own importation, they will be found unusually good value, also a full line of lower and finer qualities at equally low prices.
At 75c and 87½c, Good quality
BLACK DRESS SILKS.
At $1 00 per yard, an extra bargain in GROS GRAIN BLACK DRESS SILKS.
At $1.50 per yard, REAL HAND SPUN BLACK SILKS, made expressly for ourselves—a special good bargain, usually sold at $1.75.
At $1.15 per yard, another new line of COLORED DRESS SILKS, latest line of shades, usually sold at $1.25.
All our Silks are imported directly from Lyons, France, and in every quality to $3.50 to $4.00 per yard, will be found
EXTRA GOOD VALUE.
Large variety all grades and materials in
Colored Spring Dress Goods
At very low prices.

It has ever been our desire and endeavor to offer our patrons the BEST POSSIBLE VALUE to be found ANYWHERE, but we are pleased to state we have this week far surpassed any of our previous efforts, as per a few of the SPECIALTIES given in our
Domestic Goods Department.
AT 4½ CENTS PER YARD, A LARGE LINE OF
FULL STANDARD PRINTS,
All perfect and Dark.
AT 5 CENTS PER YARD, FINE VARIETY OF
Good Styles STANDARD CALICOS, Perfectly Fast Colors.
SPECIAL NOTICE!
WILL OPEN TO-DAY OVER
100 CASES SPRAGUE'S PRINTS,
Choice styles, the cream of their printing and stock, which we offer at
6 1-4 CENTS per Yard, or
5 3-4 CENTS per Yard by the Piece.
At 8½ cents, an extra bargain in 4-4 Heavy Sheeting Muslins.
At 5 cents per yard, 8-4 Bleached Table Damask, All Linen, a superior bargain.
At $1.00 per yard, very fine Bleached Table Damask, slightly imperfect, worth $1.50.
SOME SPECIAL BARGAINS IN
Scotch, American, French and German Towels,
Being much under usual and real value.
NOTE.—Our Table Damasks being bought directly in Belfast, Ireland, and all other Foreign Linen Goods directly from manufacturers and importers directly by ourselves, that we can offer extra good value will be undoubted.
At 75 cents and upward, a large line and special good value in full size Bed Quilts.
At 25 cents per yard, Blue Kentucky Jeans, worth 50 cents, and extra good value in Cassimeres, Cloths, &c., for Men and Boys' Wear.

New novelties constantly arriving and New Goods placed on our counters every day at lowest prices.
At 25c and 50c,
LADIES' KID GLOVES
Slightly soiled, a fine variety of colors and blacks.
At 6¼c, 8⅓c, 10c, 12½c, 15c, 18¾c and 25c, special good bargains in Ladies' and Gents'
All-Linen White Handkerchiefs,
Direct from Belfast, and much under real value.
Latest advices from Switzerland announce a reduction of 25 per cent. on Embroideries, and our immense variety in all widths will now be found to correspond with the reduction.
At 33c, Extra good
WHITE & COLORED CORSETS.
At 62½c, opened to-day, a superior quality White and Colored Woven Corsets.
A very large and complete assortment of
Gents' Furnishing Goods
Of every description, at lowest prices.
Hosiery, Gloves, Collars,
Neckwear, &c., &c.
As fast as NEW ATTRACTIONS appear in Eastern cities they are placed on our counters at lowest prices.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—Our trade being very active and sales rapid, and as our advertisements are changed regularly every Tuesday and Friday, persons living at a distance would serve their own interests by ordering as soon as convenient after reading advertisement. Samples sent when requested, and Goods expressed on receipt of money, or sent C. O. D. to any part of the United States or Territories. When ordering give your name, P. O. address, Express Office or county and State, plain and distinct as possible.

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Jos. Horne & Co.,
197 and 199
PENN AVE.,
Invite the attention of Housekeepers to the following lines of goods:
WHITE TABLE DAMASKS, from 75c per yard up to finest qualities. Plain White Damask Table Cloths.
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TURKEY RED TABLE COVERING in New Patterns.
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DAMASK NAPKINS, good value, at $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2 per dozen and up.
DINNER NAPKINS, full ¾ yard, in new patterns.
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BARGAINS IN HUCK TOWELS.
One lot at $3 per doz., worth $3.50 per doz.
One lot at $3.60 per doz., worth $4.50 per doz.
One lot at $4.75 per doz., worth $5.50 per doz.
Bargains in Fine Towels, slightly soiled.
Unbleached Turkish Bath Towels.
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Antique, Applique and Nottingham Lace Tidies and Toilet Mats, Square, Oblong, Round and Oval, in all sizes.
Pique Toilet Sets.
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SPRING GOODS
In large variety coming in every day.
DRESS GOODS, all new and fresh and of the latest styles and colors. Prices always the lowest.
BLACK CASHMERES—As our different numbers of these goods are now so well known it is only necessary to say that we still have on hand, notwithstanding our large daily sales, full lines of each quality, viz.: at 50c, 60c, 75c, 85c, 90c and $1.00.
HOUSEKEEPING GOODS—We invite special attention to our stock and assortment of Table Linens in White and Turkey Red, Sheeting, Pillow Case and Sheeting Muslins, Napkins, Towels, Crashes, &c. Knowing that in variety, quality and price, we cannot be surpassed.
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WHITE QUILTS—Over 500 White Quilts at $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50, warranted best value in this market at the several prices.
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NEW AND DESIRABLE CASHMERE LACE, NET AND TIES, very handsome shades of Cream and Ecru Ties, at 25c to $1.
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Our Specialty—UNLAUNDRIED SHIRTS—made of Wamsutta Muslin, best quality of Linen, completely finished, including buttons and button holes, at about one-half the prices of regular Laundried Shirts.
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Important Silk Sale
BOGGS & BUHL,
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Since January 1st up to the present time we have taken advantage of the unusual depressed condition of the Dry Goods market, and purchased very largely of choice lots of Silks of all kinds, that are really ASTONISHING AND POSITIVE BARGAINS.
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ATTRACTIVE SILK STOCK
Of any house in the trade, viz.: 100 pieces
Colored Dress Silks
At $1.25, in all the new choice Dark Shades. This lot of $1.25 Silks far surpasses anything in quality and choice shades the bargains sold last week.
Choice shades Fine Hand Loom Colored Silks.
New Black Dress Silks at $1.25 and $1.50, the best value ever sold in Cachimere Finish; also in Gros Grain.
Special attention invited to our new "Hand-Loom" Silk at $1.75, also in all the fine grades up to $4.00 per yard.
Entirely New Combinations in Dark Stripe Silks Myrtle Greens, Navy Blues, Prunes, Browns, &c.
Large variety Stripe and Check Silks from 75c up. Some unusually pretty effects.
New Housekeeping Goods,
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All the above at lower prices than ever before offered
Our own importation WHITE GOODS just received. Barred and Striped Nainsooks, new designs and superior value.
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Doing business under small expense, in fact, at a less per centage in proportion to the amount of our sales than any house in either city (in fact at one-half the percentage many of the Dry Goods houses conduct their business) we can afford to give our customers and the public better value for their money than many competitors.
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Better work at lower prices than any other establishment in the city.

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We are just receiving our Spring stock of
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At prices to suit the times.
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Of all sizes, cut to order.
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Charter Perpetual. Capital, $3,000,000. Losses Paid in 55 years, $44,500,000.
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ASSETS.
(At Market Value.)

Cash on hand and in bank	$ 588,559 74
Cash in hands of agents and in transit	436,501 63
Real Estate	365,000 00
Mortgage bonds	1,418,060 00
Bank and Trust Company stocks	1,330,150 00
Railroad Stocks	579,686 00
Loans on bond and mortgage	81,500 00
Loans on collaterals	13,727 00
United States, State and city stock and other securities	1,969,465 61
Total	$6,792,649 96

LIABILITIES.

Claims not due and unadjusted	$ 246,385 50

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Spermatorrhœa or Seminal Weakness, resulting from self-abuse or sexual excess, producing nervous debility, night emissions, despondency, dizziness, dimness of sight, pimples on the face, weakness of mind and body, and finally impotency, loss of sexual power, sterility, &c., unfitting the victim for marriage or business, and rendering life miserable, are permanently cured in shortest possible time. Gonorrhœa, Gleet, Stricture, all urinary diseases and Syphilis (all forms), consisting of skin eruptions, ulcers, &c., are perfectly cured, and the blood poison thoroughly eradicated from the system. Cures guaranteed.
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DAILY GAZETTE.

FINANCIAL.

Latest Advices Concerning Money and Stock Matters.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, THURSDAY, March 23, 1876.

The torpid condition of business still continues, and affairs at the banks continue about as they have been for a time past. Rates rule low to good customers, and doubtful paper is not at all acceptable. There is a feeling of care, not to say caution, engendered by the recent New York bank failure, which rejects all paper of uncertain merit. There was a tendency to freedom in accepting second rate paper, but this has been put aside for the time. The undercurrent is rather of confidence than distrust, both in the banks and among business men. The expression is very general that so far as failures are concerned we have about reached bottom, and that hereafter all will be comparatively easy, and if business recuperates, our business and manufacturing firms will gain in strength.

There are frequent movements in real estate, in small amounts—but the rentals of properties have not generally realized the expectations of owners.

Col. Forney in the *Press* of the 22d says: It is quite clear that the retirement of legal tenders would force the country into resumption, unless the banks should become insolvent altogether and suspend specie payments, as they did in 1857 and 1858. We admit also that to maintain our system of national currency the Treasury must have protection against a wild scheme of running in debt to nations which will only adjust their balances against us in the particular commodity of gold. But in these days we are opposed to running in debt abroad. Already we have sent to Europe too many of our bonds and put ourselves in the power of our foreign creditors. We have been buying recklessly abroad and paying for our imports in bonds, which are only a negotiable debt, and for all practical purposes can be returned upon us, to be redeemed on demand, whenever the holders list. Whatever they may be as against the United States Treasury or the corporations issuing them they are call loans as against the country. And they will come back to us before Europe will return us any gold. It seems to be the poorest policy in the world to buy any more foreign goods with our due bills alone.

It is especially a bad policy, since every scheme of resumption thus far proposed involves an additional burden to the Treasury in the way of an interest account. Already the revenues of the Government are hardly adequate to meet its expenses. Those who pretend to know most thoroughly the situation of the Treasury Department have had misgivings about the maintenance of its solvency without heavy retrenchment of national expenses. In the Morrison tariff bill it was proposed to seek more income by putting duties on tea and coffee, which were estimated to produce $18,000,000. Of this sum about $5,000,000 is in excess of what would be lost by the proposed reduction of duties. In the new appropriation bills everything is cut down to the lowest figures compatible with the public interests. Yet the solution of our difficulties is said to be adding $420,000,000 of funded legal tenders and fractional notes to our debt, making at 4 per cent. an additional interest item of $16,800,000. As a compensation our 6 per cent. bonds are to be refunded at 4½ per cent., which will take at least five years and only work a reduction of interest when accomplished of $15,000,000. Here is an annual loss to the Government of $1,800,000. But this is not all. In the old days of State banks the profit on notes never returned for redemption, being worn out or lost in circulation, was no inconsiderable item. For country banks we believe that five per cent. was the proportion of notes which never came home for redemption. No doubt the same thing holds true of Government currency. If the Treasury were to resume silver issues in place of its $45,000,000 of fractional notes, we have no doubt that nearly one-tenth of this sum, now standing charged to the Government, would never be presented for payment. It may be said the United States has no right to make a profit of this nature. If not, what claim can private persons set up to it? The loss is an incident of any currency. Even coin suffers depreciation by abrasion. It is an inevitable thing, and the loss is borne eventually by the people at large. Either by the depreciation from use of money in their pockets, or by taxation to make the loss good, this is borne by the users of currency. Why should it not be as legitimate for them to enjoy the gain through the agency of the Government as for the law to grant the benefits to private corporations.

There can be no doubt but that the country at large would decidedly prefer a greenback currency if it were only made redeemable in gold. If that issue could be got fairly before them legal tenders would carry everything before them. In the vote on this proposition before the House it showed unexpected strength. As a direct vote could only be reached by a suspension of the rules, the House refused to come to that, because a suspension required a two-thirds majority. But 109 voted to reach the measure in this way to 108 against it. If Mr. Atkins' proposition were fairly before the House on its merits, it would, from present indications, command a majority. This would dispose of the tariff question and commit the Government to protection.

Robinson Brothers, Bankers, No. 78 Fourth avenue, furnish the following quotations of bonds and stocks from the latest advices by telegraph:

Gold	114¾	5-20's 1868-coupons	123¾
U.S.6's, 1861, coup	122¾	10-40's	117¾
" 1864, all called.	—	Currency 6's	126¾
" 1865	118¾	New 5 per cents	118¾
" 1865 new	119	10-40's—coupons	118¾
5-20's 1867	121¾		

RAILWAYS.

N. Y. Cen.	113¾	Ohio & Mississippi.	20¾
Erie	21¾	Union Pacific	62¾
I. C.	100	Toledo & Wabash.	3¾
C. C. & I. C.	4¾	Harlem ex. div.	139
St. Paul	43¾	Adams Express	108¾
Do. Pref.	80¾	American Express	63¾
Michigan Southern	63¾	U. S. Express	72¾
Do. Central	63¾	W Fargo & Co. Ex	86
North Western Com	43	Quicksilver	17¾
Do. Pref.	64¾	Fort Wayne ex div.	103
Rock Island	110¾	Hannibal & St. Joe.	18¾
Cleve. & Pitts	97¾	Panama	140
Pacific Mail	21¾	Iron Mountain	25
Western Union Tel.	68¾		

Robinson Brothers furnish the following quotations of active stocks on the Philadelphia Stock Board:

P. R. R. (S)	56¾	Con. Trans (B)	48¾
Reading (S)	50¾	Empire Do (B)	33¾
U. Cos. of N. J. (B)	127¾	A. V. R. R. 7-30 (B)	100¾
Oil Creek (S)	14¾	P. C. & St. L. 7's (S)	84¾
Lehigh Valley (B)	62¾	North Pacific bonds	—

NEW YORK, March 22, 1876.

Money was more active at 4@5; prime mercantile paper 5@6. The customs receipts were $379,000. The Assistant Treasurer disbursed $115,000. The clearings were $25,000,000. Sterling was dull at 486½@489½. Gold was steady at 114½@114⅝. The carrying rates were 1½ to 3½. Governments were firm. Railroad bonds were quiet and firm. State securities were dull, with the exception of Erie, Western Union, St. Paul and Missouri Pacific, which were strong, and Michigan Central, which was weak. The stock market was without feature. The transactions aggregated 152,000 shares, of which 9,000 were Pacific Mail, 18,000 Western Union, 44,000 Erie, 44,000 Lake Shore, and 7,000 Michigan Central.

Governments—United States Coupons 1881, 122½; 5-20s '65, 118½; do. new, 118½; do. '67, 121½; do.'68, 123½; 10-40s, 118½; do. coupons, 118½; new 5s, 118½; currency 6s, 126½.

State Bonds—Tennessees old, 43½; do. new, 41; Virginia new, 34; do. old, 35; Missouri 6s, 104½.

Stocks—Western Union Telegraph Company, 68½; Pacific Mail, 21½; Adams Express, 108½; Fargo Express, 86; American Express, 63½; United States Express, 72½; New York Central, 118½; Erie, 21½; do. preferred, 36; Harlem, 139; do. preferred, 134; Michigan Central, 64½; Lake Shore, 63½; Union Pacific, 62½; Illinois Central, 101; Pittsburgh, 97½; Northwestern common, 43; do. preferred, 64½; New Jersey Central, 106½; Rock Island, 110½; St. Paul, 43½; do. preferred, 80½; Wabash, 3½; do. preferred, 9½; Fort Wayne, 102½, ex. div.; Terre Haute, 4½; do. preferred, 18½; Chicago & Alton, 104½; do. preferred, 110½; Ohio & Mississippi, 20½; Indiana Central, 4½; Burlington & Quincy, 118½; Hannibal & St. Joseph, 18½; Delaware & Lackawana, 119; Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph, Co., 19; Central Pacific, 107; Union, 104½; grant, 102½; Mariposa, 7½; do. preferred, 8; Panama, 32; Missouri Pacific, 115½.

LONDON, March 22.—The amount of bullion gone into the Bank of England on balance to-day was £365,000. Consols: money, 94 5-16; account, 94 7-16. The rate of discount in open market for three months' bills is 3½, or ½ below the Bank of England rate. 5-20s '65, 105½; do '67, 107⅞; 10-40s, 105½; new 5s, 105⅞; New York Central, 104; Erie, 17½; do preferred, 30.

PARIS, March 22.—Rentes, 66f 82½c.

FRANKFORT, March 22.—U. S. new 5s, 101½.

COMMERCIAL.

Condition of the Markets at Home and Abroad.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, WEDNESDAY, March 22, 1876.

The leading merchandise markets present but little that is really new or important. Shelled Corn is very stiff and higher, in consequence of a temporary scarcity. Butter is also higher for the same reason, and Coffee is firm with an increasing trade. The hog products continue to hold their own, and Flour is firmer in sympathy with Wheat. The demand for goods of almost every character is confined to supplying immediate necessities, and it looks as if the hand-to-mouth policy would be closely adhered to for some time to come.

APPLES—Sales in a regular way at $3,50a4,50 ₩ bbl, according to quality and condition.

APPLE BUTTER—70a75c ₩ gall.

BUTTER—The supply of prime table Butter continues light, unequal to the demand, and prices, in consequence, are still tending upward; sales reported at 38a40c; in some few instances 41a42 cents. The stock has not been as much reduced in this market at any time this year as at present.

BEANS—Drag along with a light demand, and at low prices. The stocks now here are amply sufficient to meet the demand for the balance of the season, and no higher prices are looked for. Prime navy, $1.15 in round lots, and small orders filled at $1,25 ₩ bu.

CHEESE—There is a very fair demand, and we can report regular jobbing sales of prime Ohio Factory at 13¼a14c; do New York, 14¼a15c.

EGGS—With an increasing demand and diminished receipts, the market is firmer, but prices as yet are not quotably higher—15a16c.

DRIED FRUIT—The demand has been exceedingly light, and our market is entirely devoid of animation in this line. But few small lots are selling, and although stocks are light yet they are in excess of the demand. Prime Dried Apples quotable at 9c—choice bright quarters and sliced, 10a11c ₩ ₩. Peaches continue quiet at 11a11½c in lots, and 12a 12½c in a small way. Blackberries inactive at 12a 12½c. Pitted Cherries, 25a28c; Raspberries, 30c ₩ pound.

FLOUR—The general tone of the market is firmer, but prices remain unchanged. Spring wheat flours, $6,25a8,75, the outside figure for choice Minnesota; red winters, $6,50a7; ambers, $7,00a7,50; Rye Flour, $4,75a5,00 per bbl. Buckwheat flour, 1 cent ₩ lb. and very dull.

GROCERIES—Coffee is still reported firm, notwithstanding the visible supply is the largest for many years; importers, however, are very stiff in their views. Refined Sugars are also reported in fair demand and firm at quotations, and the same is true of prime New Orleans Molasses. We can report a steady demand for Prunes, and prices are tending upward.

RICE.

Carolina	7 @7¾	Louisiana	5¾@6¾

SYRUPS.

Choice	65 @70	Fair	55 @58
Prime	60 @63	Dark	45 @50

MOLASSES.

N.O. choice	60	N.O. strictly prime	58
Fair	55	Demarara	50@55

SUGARS.

Cut Loaf	12¾	Standard B	10
Crushed	11¾	Standard Ex C.	9¾
Granulated	11	Refined Yellows	8½@ 9¾
Powdered	11¾	N. O. new crop.	8 @ 9
Standard A.	10¾		

COFFEES.

Fancy Rio	23¾	R. Rio, lb pkgs	27
Prime Rio	22¾@23	R. Rio, loose.	26¾
Good Rio	20¾@21¾	Roasted Java,	28 to 40
Old Gov. Java	34		

GRAIN—The market for Wheat is rather firmer, in consequence of an advance in the west, but as yet there has been no corresponding advance here; the inquiry is light, and millers are loth to take hold at current rates, in consequence of the unsatisfactory condition of the flour trade. We continue to quote good to prime Ohio and Indiana red at $1,33a1,37. Shelled Corn continues very scarce in this market, and prices are higher in consequence; we now quote at 52a55c for mixed to prime yellow. Ear Corn is also firmer but not quotably higher, 50a52c on wharf and track. The Oat market continues easy but unchanged; mixed, 39a40c; white, 41a42c. Rye quiet and unchanged at 78a80c.

HAY—Baled is firmer with diminished receipts; $16a19 for timothy, according to quality; no prairie on the market.

HOMINY—In fair demand at $3,75 ₩ bbl to the trade, and $4 in a small way.

MILL FEED—Continues quiet and unchanged; Bran $14,00a15 ₩ ton; Seconds and Shipstuffs, $17a 18; Middlings and Chopped Feed, $20a22, as to quality.

MAPLE SYRUP—Is coming forward freely and prices are lower; we now quote at $1,a1,05 ₩ gall. jug. Maple Sugar, 10a11c ₩ lb.

ONIONS—Selling at $1,75a2 ₩ bbl, according to quality. Onion Setts, $1,50a2,50 ₩ bushel.

POTATOES—Quoted at 33a35c ₩ bushel on track, and 37a40 cut of store.

PROVISIONS—The market is reported firm, with a fair jobbing trade, but there has been no recent change in prices.

Hams—Extra S. C. per lb.	14¾	Short Cut "	23.25
Shoulders, Ex. S. C.	10¾	Lard, Prime Leaf in tierces, per lb.	14
B'fast Bacon, S. C.	14¾	Do. half barrels	14¾
Dried Beef, Ex. Sugar Cured, old	15	Do. buckets	15
		Do. 3 lb caddies	16¾
Beef Tongues, S. C. per doz	$6¾	Do. 5 lb do	16¾
Bacon Shoulders	10¾	Do. 3 lb pails	17¾
Rib Sides	—	Do. 5 lb do	17¾
Short Rib do	13¾	Do. 6 lb do	17
Clear Sides	13¾	Ham Sausage	9
Mess Pork, per bbl.	$23.25	Pig's Feet, in kegs.	$1.90
Family Mess Pork.	23.25	Do. do. ½ bbls.	$3,75
		Do. do. bbls.	—

RAGS—Steady at 3c ₩ lb for good country mixed.

SEEDS—Clover seed is quoted firm at $10,25a10,50 ₩ bushel. Timothy seed, $2,65a2,75. Blue Grass, $2,25a2,50. Orchard Grass, $3,50a4 ₩ bushel.

TALLOW—Steady at 8¼a9c for prime country, and 9¼a9½c for city rendered.

PITTSBURGH LIVE STOCK MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, WEDNESDAY, March 22, 1876.

ARRIVALS.

The arrivals in the aggregate for the week ending at noon to-day, as well as those of the preceding week, were as follows:

	This week.	Last week.
Cattle	260 cars	316 cars
Hogs	70 cars	73 cars
Sheep	72 cars	72 cars
Total	402 cars	461 cars

Briggs, Dock & Drum, Commission Merchants for the sale of live stock, at the East Liberty Stock Yards, report the market as follows:

CATTLE.

The supply of local cattle this week has been less than during the same time any preceding week this season; of the 260 cars reported for the week, 66 cars were yard and 194 cars through consignments, against 98 cars of the former and 218 of the latter the preceding week. With a very light supply, more favorable advices from the East and Chicago, the market has stiffened up considerably, and everything offered has been sold at an advance of 30a 40c per cwt. as compared with last week. There have been no strictly prime droves on sale, hence no high prices to report, but stock of this character, had there been any such, could have been disposed of at the advance quoted, as it was in demand. As we close our report there is little or nothing remaining unsold, and very few reported to arrive. Market closes with a good feeling and the prospects are considerable for a fair market next week again. This is the first good market sellers have had for several weeks and while not altogether unexpected, it was none the less acceptable, as they have been losing money right along for some time past.

QUOTATIONS.

Extra 1,400 a 1,500 steers	6,00a6,25
Prime 1,200a1,300 steers	5,50a5,75
Fair 1,000a1,100 steers	4.75a5,25
Stockers 800a1,000 lbs	3,50a4,50
Cows, Bulls and Stags	3,50a4,50

SHEEP.

The offerings on Monday were the lightest of the season, consisting of 45 head. On the day following (Tuesday) the supply was only fair and with a good demand, the market was lively at an advance of from 25 to 50c ₩ cwt on all grades. There are but few extra heavy, such as are wanted for shipment to New York, coming forward, and there was one bunch of this kind which brought 7¾c. To-day (Wednesday) the arrivals were rather more liberal and with a slight falling off in the demand, the market was easier, although they were not quotably lower. As we close our report there are but few remaining unsold, and the following may be regarded as the ruling

QUOTATIONS.

Extra 110a130 lbs	7,25a7,75
Prime 90a100 lbs	6,75a7.00
Good 85a90 lbs	6.25a6.50
Fair 75a80 lbs	5,75a6.00
Common 70a75 lbs	5,00a5,25
Indianas, according to quality	5,00a6,75

HOGS.

The arrivals continue light, but sufficient to supply the demand which is also light; there is not one-half as many wanted as there ordinarily is at this season of the year, and we do not look for any improvement in the demand as long as present prices are maintained. Yesterday the market stiffened up for Yorkers, in consequence of an increased inquiry, and an advance was established. Philadelphia hogs continue very quiet; but few offering and but few wanted; there has not been much change for several weeks.

QUOTATIONS.

Philadelphia Hogs	9,00a9,60
Fair to good Yorkers	8,25a8.60
Pigs, as to quality	8,00a8,25
Roughs	7,50a8,00

All drafts must be attached to the original shipping bill, and in no case drawn for more than two-thirds of stock. Please telegraph amount of draft and car Nos.

J. B. Sedwick is our authorized agent at Indianapolis, Ind.

BRIGGS, DOCK & DRUM.

Freight Tariffs.

The freight agents of the various trunk line deny the statement that there is an intention to advance the rates of freight bound West, or that there is any competition at present between them. The established tariff is still and will continue to be maintained, and no change will certainly be made until the lakes and canal are open, and it is doubtful even if a reduction will then take place. It will depend entirely upon circumstances. Should the rates be materially decreased by these routes, of course the railroads will compete with them, but that there is any intention at present to generally reduce the tariff is positively untrue. The Pennsylvania road has, we understand, advanced the rates some two cents to certain points, but it has also made a reduction to other points. This is done with a view of equalizing freight as nearly as possible.—*New York Bulletin.*

Stock of Grain in New York.

The following table exhibits the stock of grain in New York on the dates named:

	March 13, 1876.	March 20, 1876.	March 20, 1875.	March 21, 1874.
Wheat, bu.	4,262,464	4,082,500	2,202,074	1,229,500
Corn, bu	299,041	326,577	2,354,093	359,125
Oats, bu	764,655	782,000	815,253	567,008
Rye, bu			42,156	51,378
Barley, bu.	397,994		180,921	106,750

PITTSBURGH DRUG MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, THURSDAY, March 23, 1876.

Corrected by HARRIS & EWING, Wholesale Druggists, corner Liberty and Tenth streets.

Acac., sorts ¶	20a 30 lb
2d select..	35a 40 lb
1st select..	40a 50 lb
Acid. Citric.	1,05a1.12 lb
Oxalic..	17a 20 lb
Tartaric ..	54a 59 lb
Alcohol	2.15a2.35 gal
Aloes, cape.	16a 20 lb
A Barb	40a 50 lb
Socot	
Alum	3½a 4½ lb
Amm., Aq.	8a 12 lb
Carb	20a 22 lb
Arnica, Flor	20a 22 lb
Assafœtida	25a 30 lb
Bals. Copaib	90a 95 lb
Canada ..	.50a 60 lb
Bay Rum	2.75a4.00 gal
Bis. Sub car	2.75a3.00 lb
Sub nit	2.00a2.25 lb
Blue Mass..	70 lb
Vitriol	11a12 lb
Borax, ref'd	14a 17 lb
Brim., Roll.	4a 5½ lb
Flor. sulp.	5a 6 lb
Buchu	16a 25 lb
Calomel Am	1.25 lb
Camphor ref	30a 34 lb
Camwood	5a 9 lb
Chamo. Ger	50 lb
Rom	36 lb
Chloral Hyd	2.50 lb
Chlorofor	1.00a1.15 lb
Cincho. Pale	70a 80 lb
Red	1.20a1.30 lb
Yellow	20a 40 lb
Cochineal ..	70a 80 lb
Copperas	2a 3 lb
Cream Tar..	46a 48 lb
Cubebs	15a 20 lb
Dovers Po'd	1.50a1.60 lb
Ergot	2.60 lb
Ether, Nit.	46a 48 lb
Sul..	70a 75 lb
Ex. Logw'd	13½a14 lb
Liqu. Cal.	38a 45 lb
" Ital	25a 30 lb
Fustic	3a 4 lb
Glycer. Pure	20a 30 lb
Bowers' ..	85 lb
Indigo, Man	1.00a1.20 lb
S.F.	1.10a1.25 lb
Iodine	4.00a4.25 lb
Iodoform..	85 oz
Juniper Ber	7a 9 lb
Logwood	2½a 3½ lb
Madder	12a 17 lb
Magnes, Cal	90a1.00 lb
Carb	30a 35 lb
Manna, Fla.	80 lb
Morph. Sul.	4.30a4.50oz
Nit. Silver.	96 oz
Opium	6.60a6.80 lb
Powd	9.20a9.40 lb

Oil, Anise..	$3.60a3.70 lb
Bergam	5.00a5.50 lb
Cassia	2.00a2.20 lb
Castor	16 a17 lb
Lemon	4.25a4.50 lb
Linseed R	60a65 gal
Linseed B	65a70 gal
Neatsfoot.	90a1.35 gal
Olive,	1.25a2.00doz
Qts	6.25a6.50doz
" Pts	3.25a3.50doz
Orange	3.50a4.00 lb
Origanum	70a1.20 lb
Pennyroyl	3.50a4.00 lb
Pepperm't	5.00a5.50 lb
Sassafras.	75a85 lb
Winterg'n	4.00a4.25 lb
Pot. BiCarb	35 lb
Bi Chrom	22a24 lb
Bromide	75a 85 lb
Chlorate..	33a 40 lb
Iodid.	2.75a3.00 lb
Quinine	2.30a2.40 oz
Root, Gent.	8 a12 lb
Gin. E. I.	17 lb
Gin. Jam.	27 lb
Ipecac P.	1.88 lb
Jalap P..	85 lb
Rhubarb .	1.00a1.50 lb
" Pow	1.00a1.50 lb
Sar. Hond	58 lb
Sar. Mex.	28 lb
Senega	1.00a1.20 lb
Spigelia ..	38 lb
Val. Eng.	45 lb
" Ger..	25 lb
Saffron Am.	60a 80 lb
Sal Ammon	16a 18 lb
Epsom	3a 5 lb
Glauber..	2½a 4 lb
Rochelle..	38 lb
Soda	2a 3½ lb
Seed. Can'y	15a 16 lb
Cardam ..	2.50 lb
Hemp	7½a 8 lb
Mustard ..	8a 10 lb
Senna, Alex	25a 30 lb
E. I.	22a 24 lb
Tinnev	28 lb
Shellac	52a 70 lb
Soap, Castile	11a 14 lb
White	18a 21 lb
Soda Ash	4a 5 lb
Bi Carb..	5a 6 lb
Strych. Cry.	2.85a3.00 oz
Pulv	2.60a2.75 oz
Sugar Lead.	.24a 28 oz
Turpen. spts	45a 50 gal
Var. Coach	1.88a4.00 gal
Copal	1.25a2.00 gal
Damar	1.50a1.80 gal
Japan	75a1.10 gal
Venet. Red	2½a 4½ lb
Whiting	½a 2½ lb

PITTSBURGH PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, WEDNESDAY, March 22, 1876.

The Crude market continues firm, but there has been no quotable change in prices for several days. Conduit and United, $2,06¼; Union, $2,04½a5; outside lines, $1,95; immediate shipment, $2.25a2,27½. Barge oil, delivered here, nominally $2,35. Buyers for United, sellers option, first six months, at $2,02½. Refined continues quiet and unchanged—Philadelphia and Baltimore delivery, 14¼a14⅜; on cars here 11a11½c.

The barrel market is more active and firmer; sales of city make at $1,20 and countries at $1,10. The offerings are light, and most of the cooper shops are idle.

SHIPMENTS OF REFINED OIL EAST PER ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.

Shipper.	Consignee	Bbls.
Standard Oil Co	Warden F & Co.	981
Lockhart & Frew	Do	772
J. A. McKee & Sons.	Do	400
Total		2,153

Louisville Tobacco Market.

With the continuance of very cold and unfavorable weather for prizing, our receipts are again unusually light for this season of the year, being only about 400 hhds for the week, although the offerings foot up 123 hhds more than last week. Trash, inferior lugs, and common leaf formed the bulk of the receipts, with a larger proportion of good old dry tobacco than seen lately in one week. The tone of the market has been on the whole firm, with an advance of 50c to $1 on particular sorts. The demand has been active generally, excepting the lowest grades, but which are not quotably lower. For all desirable manufactured tobacco the demand was good, with a limited supply of new good heavy lugs. Of common to medium leaf (new) as well as for old reduced the supply was better. Old sweet sold at about 50c higher, and for fine old sweet reduced leaf fully $1 higher figures were obtained. Wrappers of all kinds same as last week. Low grades of common smokers were in large supply, and brought last week's prices. Good to colory qualities, of which the supply was limited, were fully more active and firm at last week's quotations. The receipts and offerings of cutting tobaccos were again very light, excepting one or two hhds of fine, which sold at $15. The assortment consisted mainly of lower grades, which sold at last week's figure. The demand for tobacco for export was very good, particularly for the fine, old, red, redried, long leaf, which was in larger supply than usual, and which, all week, met with heavy sales for the English market, at fully $1 higher prices than last week. In lower grades of old leaf, prices were fully up to last week, with ready sales at last week's figures. With more favorable weather we will, in all probability, have larger receipts of desirable shipping tobaccos, as a demand, exists for some which the very limited receipts of late have not supplied. Old funky lugs sold at from $4a5; funky common leaf at $5a6, while trash and frozen stuff sells at previous figures. All the tobaccos offered this week were generally in good order, excepting a few hhds which had been put up soft, which were heated. Quotations for this week are the same as last, with the exceptions noted above.

Cincinnati Iron Market.

There was less animation in the pig iron market last week. The consumption, though greatly diminished, is now equal to, if not in excess of the production. Some grades of charcoal iron are becoming scarce, and producers have it in their power to maintain an advance in prices. Steel and wrought iron have been quiet, and there is a tendency to a decline on some articles of the latter. Prices of all iron and steel, however, remain firm. We make the following quotations showing the range of the market for all grades of pig iron, at 4 months ₩ ton:

PIG IRON.

Charcoal Hot-blast Hanging Rock No. 1	$24@26
Do. do. do. No. 2	21@23
Do. do. Mill	21@23
Alabama, Georgia and Tennessee No. 1	23@24
Do. do. do. No. 2	22@23
Mill	21@22
Stone coal and coke iron No 1	22@24
No. 2	21@22
Mill	18@21
Charcoal cold-blast—Hanging Rock	40@45
Alabama, Georgia and Tennessee—hot and cold blast	30@35
Blooms	60@70
Wrought Scrap—₩ lb	3c
Cast Scrap—₩ lb	¾c

Wheat at Milwaukee—A Sharp Advance in Prices.

A Milwaukee dispatch under date of 20th says: The wheat market was more excited to-day than it has been for a long time, prices prices having advanced 1a2c, or 5a6c above the prices of Monday of last week. The advance began on Monday, the 13th, when advices of unfavorable weather in this country and Europe, and of an advance in the latter part of the world, met with a response here. Light advices, and a continuance of these reports, sent wheat up a trifle each day, and to-day the advance became more decided, and the excitement quite remarkable. The advance is considered to some extent legitimate, prices having long been down below what conscientious men think they ought to be, although there are some who belive it chiefly attributable to more unhealthy speculation. The holders of wheat accumulated by the last great corner paid $1,10a1,20, and have had to hold the greater part of it all the winter, paying insurance and warehouse charges, and it is not likely that they are strong enough to send wheat up to the prices they would like to get. Good authorities on the Board say that if the season is so bad in Europe as to make the seeding late, we may expect the present advance kept up and even exceeded, although, of course, it would not be for long.

Comparative Prices.

The following table shows the comparative prices for the articles named, at Chicago, for two years:

	March 20, 1876.	March 21, 1875.
No 2 spring wheat.	1,03¾@ 1,04¾	93¾@ 94¾
No 2 corn	44¾@ 45	67¾@ 67¾
No 2 oats	33¾@ 33¾	54¾@ 54¾
No 2 rye	65 @ —	97 @ 98
No 2 barley	59 @ 60	1,08¾@1.09
Mess pork	22.40 @ —	20.15 @ —
Lard	13.66 @ —	13.85 @ —

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, March 22, 1876.

FLOUR—Quiet and firm.

GRAIN—Wheat lower; No. 2 Chicago spring $1,02¾a1,02¾ seller April; $1,07⅞ seller May; No. 3 90 1-2a91c; rejected 79c. Corn steady; No. 2 45c spot; 47¾a48c seller April; rejected 39¾c. Oats dull; No. 2 33¾ a34c spot; 32 1-2c seller April; 34¾a34 1-2c seller May. Barley quiet and steady; 57a 60c spot; 58c seller May. Rye dull at 65c.

PROVISIONS—Pork dull; $22,35 spot; $22,37 1-2 seller April; $22,67 1-2 seller May; $22,90 seller June. Lard dull; $13,75 spot; $13,70 seller April. Bulk meats quiet and unchanged.

WHISKY—Firmer at $1,06.

On call board wheat was ½c higher. Corn and oats unchanged. Pork firmer, but unchanged. Lard higher; $13,12½a13,50 April; $13,97½a14 May.

New York.

NEW YORK, March 22.—Flour less active; receipts 6,000 barrels; superfine western and State $4,40a4,65; common to good $5,40a 5,45; good to choice $5,45a5,75; white wheat extra $5,80a7,75; extra Ohio $5,40a7,25; St. Louis $5,45a9. Rye flour and corn meal quiet and unchanged. Wheat dull; receipts 31,000 bushels; No. 1 spring $1,34a 1,39; rejected $1,09½; No. 2 Milwaukee $1,28; No. 2 Chicago $1,24a1,26; No. 3 nominally $1,12a1,15. Rye firm; western 80a86c; State 85a88c. Barley quiet; No. 2 Bay $1,10. Malt quiet. Corn: receipts 55,000 bushels; good export and home trade inquiry; mixed no grade 60½a61½c; new, ungraded, 62a64c. Oats: receipts 11,000 bush.; western mixed and State 44a48c; white 47a52c. Hay firm at 75a80c. Hops firm; eastern and western 11a17c. Coffee quiet at 15½a18½c. Sugar firm; fair to good refining 7¼a7⅜c; prime 7⅞c. Molasses and Rice firmer and unchanged. Petroleum: crude 8¾c; refined 14¾c. Tallow steady at 9c. Rosin firmer at $1,75a1,80. Turpentine firmer at 41c. Eggs a shade firmer; western 16a17c, Pennsylvania and State 17 a25c. Leather steady at 22a38c. Wool firm; pulled 30a47c; unwashed 14a34c. Pork easier at $23,25 Beef quiet. Cut meats quiet. Middies quiet; city long clear 12¼c; western 12¾c. Lard firm; prime steam 14a 14¼c. Butter firm; western 16a31c; State 20a36c. Cheese steady at 6a13c. Whisky quiet at $1.12½.

New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, March 22.—Sugar quiet; inferior 6½c; good common 6¾c; fair 7c; prime to choice 7¾a8¾c. Molasses: inferior fermenting 20a30c; common 30a32c; prime to choice 40a52c. Flour very dull; fine to superfine $3,50a3,75; double $4,25; treble $4,50a5,50; choice $5,30a6,50. Corn: demand better and firmer at 52a54c. Oats stronger at 42a45c. Bran in fair supply; sales in job lots at 75c. Hay firmer; prime $16a17. Corn meal dull; quoted at $2,25a 2,30. Pork quiet; mess quoted at $24a24,50. Dry salt meats in little demand; shoulders 9a9¼c; clear rib sides 12¾c; clear 13c. Bacon continues dull; shoulders quoted at 10¼c; clear rib sides 13¾c; clear sides 14c. Hams: choice sugar cured 14¾a15c. Lard scarce and in demand; tierce refined selling at 14¼c; keg 14¾c; bucket 15c. Whisky in small supply and demand; sales Louisiana rectified at $1,08.

Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, March 22.—Petroleum steady; refined 14¼a14½c; crude 11½a11¾c. Flour active; superfine $4,50; extra $4,50a 4,65. Wheat firmer; Pennsylvania amber $1,50a1,54; white $1,55a1,58. Rye 82c. Corn scarce; yellow 61a62c; mixed 60c; white 62c. Oats dull; white 42a44c; mixed 42c. Whisky nominally held at $1,12; but little stock here. Butter unchanged. Cheese firm; New York 13¼a14c; western fine 12a13c. Eggs more active; Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware and western fresh 16c.

Foreign.

LONDON, March 22.—Refined petroleum 10 1-2a10 3-4d.

ANTWERP, March 22.—Refined petroleum 31s.

LIVERPOOL, March 22.—Cotton strong at 6 9-16a6 13-16d; sales 15,000 bales, including 4,000 speculation and export 9,700. California White wheat: average 10s 2da10s; club 10s 6da11s; red spring 8s 10d. Refined petroleum 11a11 1-2d; spirits 8 1-2a9 1-2d. Lard 62 1-2a63s. Cheese 62s. Tallow 42 1-2s. Turpentine 25s.

Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, March 21.—Cattle: market more active and prices unchanged; very best 6¼a6½c; first quality 5¼a6¼c; medium or good fair quality 4¼a5¼c; ordinary thin steers, oxen and cows 4a4¼c; most sales 4¾a5¼c; receipts 1,352; sales 1,141. Hogs: fair demand; good grades common dull; range 10¾a11¾c; a few very choice 12c; receipts 3,957. Sheep: fair demand and unchanged rates; range 4¼a7¾c; receipts 1,486.

Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, March 22.—Cotton quiet and steady at 12 3-4c. Flour firm and unchanged. Wheat quiet at $1,15a1,25. Corn steady at 49a50c. Oats steady at 37a43c. Barley quiet and unchanged. Rye quiet at 74a75c. Pork steady at $23,00, Lard quiet; steam 13 1-2c; kettle 14c. Bulk meats quiet; shoulders 8 3-4c; clear rib 12c; clear 12 3-8c. Bacon firm at 9 3-4, 13 and 13 1-8c. Whisky steady at $1,05.

Toledo.

TOLEDO, March 22.—Flour: demand fair and market firm. Wheat quiet and steady; No. 2 white Wabash offered at $1,39¾; low mixed $1,30¾; extra do. offered at $1,39; amber Michigan $1,26 bid; seller May $1,35. Corn quiet; high mixed held at 51a50c bid; seller April 50¼c; seller May 51¼c; low mixed 49¼c; no grade 48c. Oats quiet and dull; No. 2 Michigan held at 36a36½c.

Boston.

BOSTON, March 22.—Flour firm; western superfine $4a4,50; common to extra $4,75a 5,25; winter wheat Ohio and Michigan $6a7; Illinois $6,50a8,25; St. Louis $6,50a9; fancy Minnesota $7,75a9,25. Corn firm; mixed and yellow 66a68c. Oats: mixed No. 2 and white 45a50c; rejected 43a46c. Wool unchanged.

Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, March 22.—Flour: demand fair and market firm. Wheat opened steady and closed steady; No. 1 Milwaukee $1,12; hard $1,18½; No. 2 $1,04¾; No. 3 93½c. Corn firmer; No. 2 mixed 46c. Oats steady; No. 2 32c. Barley firmer; No. 2 spring fresh 89c; No. 3 fresh 53c. Rye scarce; No. 1 70c.

Memphis.

MEMPHIS, March 22.—Cotton firm; 12¾a 12¾c; sales 2,300 bales; receipts 670 bales; shipments 2,409 bales. Flour steady and unchanged. Corn steady at 52a55c. Oats quiet at 46a50c. Lard dull at 14a15c. Bacon firm and unchanged.

Oswego.

OSWEGO, March 22.—Wheat firm; No. 1 Milwaukee club $1,40; No. 1 white Michigan $1,50. Corn quiet; 64a65c. Barley firm; No. 2 Canada held at 96c; No. 1 Bay 51c.

Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, March 22.—Cotton firm at 12 3-4c. Flour dull and unchanged. Grain quiet. Wheat $1,15a1,25. Corn 45a46c. Oats 37a41c. Rye 75c. Provisions steady and unchanged. Whisky firm at $1,05.

St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, March 22.—Cotton firm; 12¾c. Flour and grain quiet and unchanged. Provisions steady and unchanged. Whisky better and steadier at $1,06.

Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, March 22.—Petroleum firm and unchanged; S. W. 110 test 11½c; P. W. 150 test 12½c car lots, cash.

Live Stock.

NEW YORK, March 22.—Beeves: receipts 2,040 for two days, against 1,600 same time last week; quality medium to fair generally; market firm and trade active at a further advance of nearly 1-4c from Monday. Some very poor oxen at 8½c; a few choice and extra steers 11 3-4a12 1-4c, but 9¼a11 1-2c was the general range, including 6 cars Texas and Cherokee cattle at 9 1-2c. Sheep: arrivals yesterday and to-day 3,830, against 2,740 same time last week; market firm at former prices; 6 1-4a8 1-2c for common to strictly prime in lots, the latter for two car loads Ohio and Penna. sheep of 122 lbs.; the former for car load Ohio sheep of 70 lbs. Swine: receipts 6,800 for two days, against 6,660 same time last week; none for sale alive.

BUFFALO, March 22.—Cattle: receipts 884 head; total for week 6,018 head; market moderately active; sales of 30 cars, mostly steers; prices strong at the opening quotations of the week; all the good cattle disposed of. Sheep: receipts 400 head; total for week 5,800 head; no market to-day; only one car on sale. Hogs: receipts 2,200 head; total for week 86,400 head; market fair for stock offering; five cars of good Yorkers at $8,60a8,65; no heavy offering.

CHICAGO, March 22.—Cattle: receipts 5,000 head; market dull, with a downward tendency; sales: medium to good steers $4,35a4,80; choice to extra $5,25a5,80; shipments 1,500. Hogs: receipts 11,000; market dull and weak; 10a15c lower on light and 5a10c on heavy; light $8,15a8,30; heavy $8,60; Philadelphia $8,60a8,75; shipments 5,000. Sheep: receipts 700; firm and unchanged.

ST. LOUIS, March 22.—Cattle strong, in good demand and prices unchanged. Hogs steady, in moderate demand and unchanged.

CINCINNATI, March 22.—Hogs steady; common to light $7,75a8,35; fair to medium heavy $8,40.

INDIANAPOLIS, March 22.—Hogs: receipts 450; prices $7,50a7,75.

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, March 22.—Business was slow with domestic commission houses, and the jobbing trade was irregular and generally quiet. Cotton goods were inactive, and some makes lower. Hill's Greene G and Red Bank bleached shirtings are reduced. Cottonades and cheviots are dull, and some makes show weakness. Prints are dull in agents' hands. Woolen goods remained dull.

Cotton.

NEW YORK, March 22.—Cotton firm at 13¾a13 5-16c; futures closed quiet; March 13 11-32c; April 13 11-32a13⅜c; May 13 21-32 a13 11-16c; June 13 15-16a13 31-32c; July 14a 14 9-32c; August 14 9-32a14 11-32c.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI & ST. LOUIS R. R.—45 bxs chimnies, J. Lindsay & Co; 45 bales cotton, Birmingham, W. & Co; 3 bbls whisky, Schmidt & F; 5 reels rope, W. S. Evans & Co; 3 bxs c yeast, Kramer & S; 3 pkgs tobacco, J. W. Taylor; 10 tubs butter, 4 bbls eggs, Head, C. & Co; 5 doz brooms, A. Crawford; 25 kegs beer, A. Freund; 1 bx hdw, P. H. Laufman & Bro; 11 trcs hams, Watt, L. & Co; 9 doz hames, J. Herdman & Son; 1 bdl wood, Thompson & Co; 10 trcs hams, J. L. Dunseath; 20 pkgs tobacco, Knox & O; 100 sks flour, 174 do feed, J. M. White & Co; 1 car m feed, L. G. Graff & Co; 1,545 bdls paper, McElroy & Co; 17 bxs paper, Hostetter & S; 5 pkgs tobacco, Hill, W. & Co; 2 bags seed, J. R. & A. Murdoch; 20 bdls spokes, C. Coleman & Son; 15 bbls flour, McIntire & R.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD.—100 bbls flour, Caskey & B; 1 car l beer, I. Leisey & Co; 2 tubs butter, Voigt, M. & Co; 10 bbls c wheat, T. C. Jenkins; 1 car f clay, 8 bbls knobs, Jacobus, N. & Co; 56 bxs cheese, A. Kirkpatrick & Co; 25 cases m sugar, Vangorder & S; 1 case bdwe, M. S. Denley; 1 box do, T. Hare & Bro; 2 do paint, Paine, A. & T; 1 bale rubber, Hartley & Bro; 42 bxs mcbny, J. S. Pashler; 10 do, A. V. R. R; 71 bxs sunds, Arbuckles & Co; 7 bbls whisky, F. Merick; 6 do, J. Kaiser & Co; 4 do, J. Affelder; 2do, A. C. Waggare & Bro; 2do, G. Yeager; lot mchny, A. C. Bakewell & Co; 4 pkgs butter, H. J. McCracken & Bro; 15 pkgs fish, Curry & M. 25 do, Johnson, E. & Co; 40 cases tobacco, R. & W. Jenkinson; 5 bbls d apples, Wilbert & W.

PITTSBURGH, FT. WAYNE & CHICAGO R. R.—1 car flour, R. H. Voskamp; 1 do h ware, Mitchell, S. & Co; 20 sks flour, McAllister & I; 1 pkg butter, Voigt, M. & Co; 25 bales waste, Markle & Co; 2 pkgs handles, P. H. Laufman; 2 do, Logan, G. & Co; 4 sks rags, J. Harrison; 5 bxs cheese, W. H. Speaker; 10 do, A. S. Gilmore; 2 cses mdse, B. H. Dabbs; 1 do, J. J. Gillespie; 2 cases potash, J. B. Canfield; 5 tubs cheese, J. Elser; 4 bbls m sugar, J. Lacy & Co; 5 bales hay, A. Fickinger; 6 boxes boots, H. Childs; 50 bags seed, A. Kirkpatrick & Co; 10 tubs butter, J. A. Graff & Son; 5 bbls beans, J. S. Dilworth & Co; 4 do d peaches, J. H. Lob & Co; 3 rolls leather, J. G. Brant; 178 sks oats, 52 do rye, W. J. Meek; 4 cars m iron, Nat. Tube Wks.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD COMPANY.—44 cars coal, N. Y. & C. G. Co; 25 do, Armstrong, D. & Co, 6 do, Sable Coal Co; 2 do, Pgh. F. W. & C. R. R. Co; 7 do stone, S. B. & Co; 5 do, Lucy Fur; 1 do lime, W. J. Baughman; 1 do brick Miller, M. & P; 1 do lumber, S. & W. H. Martin; 1 do oats, J. Rose; 1 do lumber, J. McCane.

RECEIPTS AT PITTSBURGH GRAIN ELEVATOR—1 car barley, J. Schirmer.

Receipts of Blooms, Ore, Pig Metal and Scrap Iron.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R.

Phillips, N. & Co.	2		

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD COMPANY.

J. Reamer m	4	J. Moorhead m	1
W. J. Hammond s.	1		
Total			6

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH R. R.

Shoenberger & Co o	4	Soho Furnace o	6
Total			10

PITTSBURGH, FT. WAYNE AND CHICAGO R. R.

Nimick & Co m	4	E T Steel Co m	2
W. Clark & Co m	2	S. B. & Co.	12
Lucy Fur Co o	20	Phillips N & Co.	1
Byers McC & Co m	4	Carnegie Bros m	4
Total			59

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RIVER NEWS.

State of the Rivers, Movements of Steamboats, &c.

OFFICE OF OBSERVATION, SIGNAL SERVICE, U. S. ARMY.—DAILY REPORT OF THE STAGE OF WATER, WITH CHANGES IN THE 24 HOURS ENDING AT 3 P. M.

PITTSBURGH, March 22, 1876.

Stations.	Above low water ft.	in.	Change —or † ft.	in.	Dir'n of Wind.	State of Weather
Cairo, Ill.	40	2		†9	S	Cloudy.
Cincinnati, Ohio.	22			†8	SW	Clear.
Davenport, Iowa.	8	6		—8	W	Cloudy.
Dubuque, Iowa..	8	2		—7	SW	Cloudy.
Keokuk, Iowa	12	6		—7	SW	Lt. snow
Louisville, Ky.	11	6			SW	Fair.
Memphis, Tenn.	29	3		†4	Calm	Cloudy.
Nashville, Tenn.	25	6		—2	E	Fair.
Pittsburgh, Pa.	6	11		—7	W	Fair.
Shreveport, La.	19	3		—1	SE	Cloudy.
St. Louis, Mo.	18	9		†2	S	Cloudy.
Vicksburg, Miss.	39	6		†1	SE	Fair.

JOHN KABERNAGLE,
Sergeant, Signal Service, U. S. A.

THE stage of water last evening was scant 7 feet, and falling. Clear and cold; thawed in the sun—freezing in the shade. Business only fair, being restricted by the bad condition of the wharf and streets.

THE Iron Mountain and barges will depart for New Orleans on Saturday.

COM. KOUNTZ's new mountain steamer, Peninah No. 2, will soon be completed,

THE Katie has laid up at New Orleans to take a little rest before coming in as an ad interim for the Lee.

THE J. H. Bigley has gone to Cairo and St. Louis with a tow of 25 barges of coal. A pretty big tow, that.

BARNEY SCALES has gone to Cairo to pilot the Sam Brown and tow of coal to Nashville for the gas works.

THE mammoth towboat Alice Brown left Louisville on Sunday evening, with a tow of 440,000 bush. of coal for Memphis and White river.

THE fine side-wheeler Arlington, Captain Dan. Moore, with Messrs. McConnell and Ackley in the office, is announced to depart for St. Louis on Saturday next.

THE wife of pilot Jonas Myers died on Monday, at Dayton, Ky. She leaves two children. She will probably be interred at Louisville. Her husband is on the Whale, coming up the Ohio.

THE "wreckers" have not come to the cotton in the hold of the Mary Bell yet. They have been agreeably surprised at finding several hundred bales on the main deck, held down by cotton seed.

THE E. H. Durfee, Capt. D. W. Marratta, will positively depart for the Upper Missouri to-day, going clear through to Fort Benton. A. McCarty is in charge of the office. Joe Todd is his assistant.

THE arrivals since our last were the Emma Graham from Cincinnati, Mallie Ragon from Wheeling, and the towboats N. J. Bigley, Joe Walton, Baltic, Enterprise, J. A. Blackmore, Nellie Speer, Coal Valley, Grand Lake and Samson No. 2.

THE Emma Graham, as noted in our last issue, was thrown behind time in consequence of the rough weather and over pressure of business. She will take her departure for Cincinnati to-day at 10 A. M; no freight received after 9 o'clock. The Graham will make up her lost time this trip.

OUR townsman, Mr. James P. Hanna, of the pork firm of Hanna & Co., was married at Newport, Ky., the other day to a Mrs. Thomas, a most estimable lady. The marriage took place at the residence of Capt. Dan Moore, of the Arlington, the bride being a sister of Capt. Moore's wife.

KANSAS CITY *Times*: Will Visscher, of the Omaha *Herald*, who has been a bachelor for many long and tedious years, has finally been lariatted and brought down. Miss Blanche Mason, of Omaha, it was who threw the fatal noose, and Vissch is now a man of family. The thing was on Thursday night with appropriate ceremonies.

THE Louisville *Courier*, of Tuesday, says: Capt. Sam Brown started the Bigley and Alice Brown south with big tows of coal, and has gone home to Pittsburgh to see Mrs. B. and all the little B's. Captain Sam is a kind husband, a loving father, and —none knew him but to love him—none named him but to praise. Gone to see his aunt.

THE Vicksburg *Herald* says: A Deputy U. S. Marshal has been sent here from Jackson to look after the Mary Bell wreck, and to make him comfortable and have him convenient, Capt. Andrews has tendered him the hospitalities of the Travis Wright. Vicksburg is learning something about salvage, and will be still better informed after the burned cotton litigation is over.

AT St. Louis last Friday, John Wahl, merchant, sold to Capt. Jos. Kinney, Jr., through his father, Capt. Kinney, of Boonville, Mo., the sternwheel steamer R. W. Dugan, for $9,000. She is being painted and put in thorough order to enter the St. Louis and Jefferson City trade, which she will do in two or three weeks. Sometime later the owner will assume command of her. He is now engaged in the New Orleans and Ouachita trade with the Kate Kinny, which he also owns.

A ST. LOUIS dispatch under date of the 20th, says: Capt. Lon Bryson returned from a trip to the North-west to-day, and reports the business outlook not encouraging. The railroads are carrying freight lower than the boats, and the competition this season promises to be the liveliest ever known. The bad weather of the past week has delayed work on all the new boats now being constructed here. The Grand Republic will not be completed for two weeks yet, Capt. Frank Hicks is in the city. He will not build a new boat, but buy a packet next fall. The A. J. Baker was floated off the bank at Kaskaskia on Saturday, and came here.

CAPT. SANFORD B. COULSON has been awarded the Upper Missouri Transportation contract by the Government for the carrying of all Government goods and troops, between Yankton and Fort Benton. Capt. Coulson has had the contract for several years now in succession, and the fact that it has again been awarded to him, is good evidence that he did his work well. He has a fleet of steamers under his control, all of which were built especially for the Upper Missouri river trade, as follows: E. H. Durfee, Far West, Western, Key West, and Carroll. One of these, the E. H. Durfee, leaves here to-day direct for Fort Benton.

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MAIN LINE EASTWARD.

PACIFIC EXPRESS daily, except Monday, 3:01 a. m., arriving at Harrisburg 11:50 a. m., Philadelphia 4:20 p. m.; New York 7:35 p. m.

DAY EXPRESS daily, at 7:26 a. m., arriving at Harrisburg 2:55 p.m., Philadelphia 6:20 p.m., New York 9:15 p. m., Baltimore 6:35 p. m., Washington 8:07 p. m.

MAIL TRAIN daily, except Sunday, 7:41 a.m., arriving at Harrisburg 8:15 p. m.

ATLANTIC EXPRESS daily, at 12:51 p.m. arriving at Harrisburg 11:05 p. m., Philadelphia 3:10 a. m., New York 6:50 a. m.

PHILADELPHIA EXPRESS daily except Sunday, 4:31 p.m., arriving at Harrisburg 2 40 a.m. Philadelphia 7:00 a. m., New York 10 10 a. m.

FAST LINE daily, at 7:41 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg 3:45 a. m., Philadelphia 7: 5 a. m., New York 10:25 a. m., Baltimore 7:35 a. m., Washington 9:02 a. m.

JOHNSTOWN ACCOMMODATION 3:31 p.m.

WALL'S ACCOMMODATION 6:41, 10:31, 11:46 a. m., 2:41, 5:41, 6:11 and 11:31 p. m. Sunday 12:46 p. m.

BRINTON ACCOMMODATION 6:06 a.m., 5:06 and 9:26p. m. Sunday 9:26 p. m.

WILKINSBURG ACCOM. 9:21 a. m., 1:41, 4:51, 7:11 and 8:11 p. m.

LIBERTY ACCOMMODATION 3:11 and 10:11p. m.

MAIN LINE WESTWARD.

Trains arrive at Union Depot (city time) as follows:

Mail Train daily, except Monday	1:21 a. m.
Fast Line daily except Monday	1:41 a. m.
Pittsburgh Express daily except Monday	7:56 a. m.
Cincinnati Express daily	8:11 a. m.
Pacific Express daily	1:41 p. m.
Limited Mail daily	5:41 p.m.
Way Passenger daily	8:41 p. m.
Johnstown Accommodation	10:41 a. m.

Wall's Accommodation 6:36, 9:01 a.m.; 1:21, 2:41, 5:56 and 7:51 p. m. Sunday 10:01 a. m.

Brinton Accommodation 7:41 and 8:16 a. m., 7:06 and 11:11 p. m. Sunday 7:06 p. m.

Wilkinsburg Accommodation 11:46 a m., 3:06, 7:31, 9:21 and 10:01 p. m.

Liberty Accommodation 7:11 a. m. and 4:06 p. m.

SOUTH-WEST PENN. RAILWAY.

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Youghiogheny Express, except Sunday, 8:26 a. m.

Connellsville Express daily, except Sunday, 6:06 p. m.

Trains arrive from Connellsville at 9:41 a. m. and 6:46 p. m.

WEST PENNSYLVANIA DIVISION.

From Federal Street Depot, Allegheny City, of time.

MAIL TRAIN connecting for Butler...6:35 a.m.
EXPRESS connecting for Butler........3:35 p.m.
FREEPORT ACCOM. 9:16 a. m. and 4:56 p.m.
SPRINGDALE ACCOM. 11:26 a. m., 6:16 8:41 and 11:31 p. m. On Sunday, 12:51 and 9:11 p. m.
TARENTUM ACCOMMODATION...11:31 p.m.
MARKET TRAIN FOR BUTLER...3:31 p.m.

Trains arrive at Federal street Depot, city time. Express connecting from Butler........10:11 a.m. Mail Train connecting from Butler........5:51 p.m. Freeport Accommodation, 6:11 a. m. and 1:36 p. m. Springdale Accom. 6:51 a. m., 3 1, 7:16 and 11:11 p. m. On Sunday at 9:51 a. m. and 6:41 p. m.

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DEPART.

6 Fast Line	2:07am
10 Pacific Express	6:45am
4 Columbus Mail	7:12am
36 Washington Accommodation	9:17am
34 McDonald's Accommodation	11:00am
32 Dennison Accommodation	3:57pm
38 Washington Accommodation	4:20pm
8 Limited Mail	6:00pm
40 McDonald's Accommodation	6:06pm
12 McDonald's Accommodation	10:47pm
42 Sunday Church Train	12:47pm

ARRIVE.

33 McDonald's Accommodation	6:47am
7 Cincinnati Express	6:57am
35 Washington Accommodation	8:37am
31 Dennison Accommodation	9:57am
37 McDonald's Accommodation	2:02pm
39 Washington Accommodation	4:12pm
3 Columbus Mail	5:42pm
1 Fast Line	7:12pm
5 Southern Express	2:32am
41 Sunday Church Train	10:06am

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On and after MONDAY, NOV. 22d, 1875, and until further notice, Trains will leave and arrive at the New Depots, Fourth avenue and Try street, Pittsburgh, as follows, Pittsburgh time:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Through Mail	6:00am	Homestead Ac.	6:40am
Monongahela Ac	11:12am	Through Mail	8:40am
Express	3:50pm	Express	10:50am
Homestead Ac.	5:58pm	Pittsburgh Ac.	6:50pm

CHURCH TRAIN leaves Monongahela City every Sunday at 8:00 a. m. Returning, leaves Pittsburgh at 12:45 p. m.

Extra train leaves Ormsby on Saturday at 1:15 p. m., running to Hays. Returning, leaves Hays at 2:00 p. m., arriving at South Pittsburgh at 2:35 p. m.

Through connections to and from Brownsville daily (except Sunday,) as follows: leave Brownsville at 5:00 a. m. and 12 m., connecting to reach Pittsburgh at 10:50 a. m. and 5:50 p. m. Returning, trains leave Pittsburgh at 11:12 a.m. and 3:50 p. m., connecting with Packets, reaching Brownsville at 5:30 and 9:30 p. m.

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PITTSBURGH DIVISION.

On and after MONDAY, Feb. 28, 1876, trains on this road will depart from and arrive at Depot, corner of Grant and Water Sts., as follows, Pittsburgh time:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Connellsville Ac	6:50am	McKeesport Ac.	6:45am
Through Mail	9:35am	Through Express	7:15am
McKeesport Ac.	11:00am	McKeesport Ac.	7:45am
McKeesport Ac.	3:15pm	W. Newton Ac.	8:30am
Uniontown Ex.	3:45pm	Uniontown Ex	10:00am
McKeesport Ac.	4:15pm	McKeesport Ac.	2:00pm
W. Newton Ac.	5:10pm	Uniontown Ex.	5:35pm
McKeesport Ac.	6:20pm	McKeesport Ac.	6:05pm
Through Ex.	8:00pm	McKeesport Ac.	7:35pm
McKeesport Ac	11:15pm	Through Mail	9:05pm
Church Train	12:45pm	Church Train	10:10am

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On and after Dec. 12, 1875, Trains will leave and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, City Time, as follows:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	2:12am	Atlantic Ex.	2:42am
Erie & Asht. Ex	7:12am	Wheeling Ex.	10:47am
Cl. & Wh'g Mail	8.27am	Chicago Ex.	12:37pm
Chicago Ex.	8:42am	Erie & Ash Ex.	2:42pm
Cl. & Wh'g Ex.	1:52pm	Chicago Mail	3:42pm
Pacific Ex.	3:12pm	Cleveland Ex.	3:52pm
Wheeling Ex.	4:17pm	Ch. & St. L. Ex.	7:07pm
Erie & War Ex	4:37pm	Cl. & Wh'g Ex.	7:22pm
Thro. Ml., limit	6:09pm	Erie & Ash. Ex.	11:37pm
Depart from Allegheny.		Arrive in Allegheny.	
Beaver Falls Ac.	8.57am	Leetsdale Ac.	6:52am
Leetsdale Ac.	10:27am	Leetsdale Ac.	7:37am
Leetsdale Ac.	12:07pm	Beaver Falls Ac.	8:12am
Sharps. & As. Ac	1:12pm	Enon Accom.	8:47am
Enon Accom.	3:42pm	Sharps. & War Ac	12:52pm
Leetsdale Ac.	5:12pm	Leetsdale A.	12:52pm
Beaver Falls Ac.	6:22pm	Beaver Falls Ac.	2:12pm
Leetsdale Ac.	8:27pm	Leetsdale Ac.	4:37pm
Leetsdale Ac.	10:57pm	Leetsdale Ac.	7:37pm
Fair Oaks Sunday Church	12:42pm	Fair Oaks Sunday Church	9:52am

Through Mail, limited, leaves daily. Pacific Express leaves daily. Chicago Express arrives daily. Atlantic Express arrives daily, Mondays excepted. All other trains will leave and arrive daily, Sundays excepted.

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ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD—On and after MONDAY, December 6th, 1875, trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, City Time:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Arnolds Park Accom	6:55am	Night Express	6:05am
Buffalo Ex.	8:35am	Parnassus Ac.	6:45am
1st S. Works Ac	10:10am	1st S. Works Ac	8:10am
Kittanning Ac.	11:40am	Arnolds Parker Accom	9:35am
Titusville Ex.	1:00pm	Emi'ton & Reynoldsville Ac.	11:15am
Emlenton Ac.	3:20pm	2d S. Works Ac	1:55pm
Hulton Ac.	5:00pm	Titusville Ex	3:45pm
2d S. Works Ac	6:10pm	Kittanning Ac.	6:00pm
Night Ex.	8:10pm	Hulton Ac.	7:30pm
Parnassus Ac.	11:00pm	Buffalo Ex.	8:55pm

All Trains Daily, except Sunday.

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The probabilities for to-day are increasing cloudiness, warmer weather, southerly to easterly winds, falling barometer and light rains.

A Colored Carver.

Henry Green, a porter at the Robinson House, yesterday attacked Wm. B. Ferguson, a brother porter at the same place, and inflicted a very ugly cut across the right eye with a butcher knife for no other reason than because Ferguson said he would no longer submit to the abuse which the other porters had been heaping upon him because he is but recently from Philadelphia. Immediately following the affray Green was discharged by Mr. Robinson, and was shortly after arrested by detective Rivers to answer a suit for felonious assault and battery preferred against him before the Mayor by Ferguson. He will have a hearing this forenoon.

Nearly at the Head.

To the Editors of the Pittsburgh Gazette:

I notice in your column of "Personals" this morning that young Mr. Johnston, of Allegheny, is coming home from West Point on account of physical disability. I wish to correct this statement. I know positively that this is a mistake. Johnston is doing finely, even better than his warmest friends expected. He stands very nearly at the head of his class, has good health and will not be home for some months to come. Young Mr. Rohrbacher is an aspirant for the appointment to the Naval Academy at Annapolis, instead of Johnston's place at West Point.

FROM ONE WHO KNOWS.

THE PAN HANDLE ROAD.

Annual Meeting of Stockholders.

The stockholders of the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati & St. Louis Railroad held a meeting at Columbus, Tuesday night, and reelected the old Board of Directors with the exception of Joseph N. Dubarry, who was elected to fill the vacancy created by the death of Thos. L. Jewett. All the present officers were re-elected.

PRISON BOARD MEETING.

Plans of the New Building Approved —Court House Changes.

A special meeting of the Board of Prison Inspectors was held yesterday, at which the plans and specifications for the new building to be erected for the use of the County Commissioners were approved. The estimated cost is $2,100. After the building is completed and occupied, the Commissioners have decided upon the following changes: The Orphans' Court will occupy the room now used for the law library. The rooms now occupied by the County Commissioners will be used for the law library. The offices of the Clerk of the Orphans' Court and Register of Wills will be combined, and the Register will occupy the rooms now used by Judge Hawkins. The County Engineer will remove to Col. Hiland's office, and the lady transcribing clerks of the Recorder's office will use the room now taken up by the Register of Wills. The rooms vacated by the County Engineer and transcribing clerks will be appropriated to the use of juries. These changes will operate to the convenience of all the officers.

INVESTIGATION NEEDED.

Alleged Abuse of Authority in the Eleventh Ward.

A case which, if it is as stated, certainly needs investigation, was brought to the attention of one of the reporters of the GAZETTE last night. It is alleged that several small boys were playing in front of the Franklin School House, in the Eleventh ward, yesterday afternoon, throwing snow balls, when an officious policeman interfered and spoiled the sport. With a display of courage which deserves recognition, the aforesaid policeman gallantly charged and gloriously captured a little boy *eight years old*, son of a widow lady living near by. He took his prize to the Eleventh Ward Station House, and putting it into one of the cold cells, securely locked the doors. There he left the child all alone, (no one is at present at the Station House during the day,) without a fire, until eight o'clock in the evening. The child, as was to be expected, was frightened nearly to death, and screamed in the cell in such a manner as to alarm the neighbors, and cause a fear that it would go into convulsions. The child's mother learned of the trouble of her little one, and seeking the policeman, besought him to let it free. This he refused, and he also refused to allow her to enter the Station House to make a fire for the child and stay with it, or to take it anything to eat. The case needs looking into.

COMMON COUNCIL.

The Temporary Loan Endorsed—Robert Grier Comes up Again—He is Laid to Rest.

The special meeting of Common Council, yesterday afternoon, was held for the same purpose that drew the Select Council together on Monday, namely, the consideration of the bill authorizing a loan of $141,000 to pay April interest on Penn avenue and other bonds. In the absence of President Negley, Mr. John A. Fox was called to the chair. The members present were Messrs. Clark, Conway, Dickson, Dauler, Flinn, Fox, Fritz, Ferson, Hagan, Helmold, Hogle, Hughes, Kettenberg, Lemer, Nantker, Neeb, Powers, Reynolds, Roth, Rott, Torrence, Voskamp, and President Negley. The latter came in subsequent to the calling of the roll.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Business from Select Council was taken up, and the temporary loan ordinance referred to was adopted. Twenty-two members, just the legal majority, voted in favor of it, and one, Mr. Hagan, against it.

MR. NEEB presented a resolution requesting the Gas Committee to use its influence with the Pittsburgh Gas Company to procure the placing of a gas main in Virgin alley between Cherry alley and Smithfield street. Referred.

MR. HELMOLD, petition of Amelia Mengis for refunding of overpaid tax. Referred.

MR. KETTENBERG, resolution providing for advertisement for a contract to supply the offices in City Hall with ice. Referred.

MR. DICKSON, resolution requesting the Board of Fire Commissioners to consider the importance of extending the fire alarm telegraph to the northerly line of the Thirteenth ward. Passed.

Also, a copy of the resolutions presented in Select Council on Monday relative to the proffering of contingent immunity to Robt. Grier. On motion of Mr. Reynolds it was laid on the table, 10 members voting yea and 8 nay.

A resolution from Select Council authorizing the payment of $75 each to three viewers for services rendered in the case of the city against Thirty-third street sewer was passed; similar action was taken in reference to the viewers in the case of the city against J. M. Faas.

Adjourned.

AMUSEMENTS.

Pittsburgh Opera House.

There was nothing more comical in the play of "Zip" than the scene between Mr. Gotthold as *Hon. Chauncey Elmore* and Miss Weidman as *Miss Amanda Lovelace.* The latter impersonated one of those foolish virgins of rather advanced years, who, with the most sublime *hateur*, and with scorn and indignation looming up in the back-ground, deny that the soft zephyrs of more than twenty summers have toyed with what everybody knows to be the curls of antiquated maidenhood. Miss Weidman's make-up was excellent, and the ease, naturalness and *sangfroid* with which she interpreted the part, which has its living prototypes, constituted one of the best of the many good characterizations she has given us this season. Her face, across which not a shadow of emotion flitted, after she had fainted and fallen into Mr. Gotthold's arms, and the apparent satisfaction with which she reposed there, coupled with the latter's manifestations of torture and disgust as he hung suspended upon the tenter-hooks of despair, made one of the most risible pictures that ever excited demonstrations of laughter.

This evening "Zip" gives way to "Musette," in which Lotta will appear in the title *role* and Mr. E. A. Locke as *Wm. A. Bokus.* The play is a humorous definition of the six stages of love, if that passion is susceptible of arbitrary sub-divisions.

Library Hall.

Reserved seats for the minstrel performance to be given at Library Hall to-morrow evening by the Centennials in aid of the Pittsburgh Association for the Improvement of the Poor can now be purchased at Hale's music store. This organization is a new one, and said to comprise some of our best local talent.

Carncross and Dixey.

We do not remember that Carncross & Dixey's minstrel troupe ever came to Pittsburgh and played to thin houses. The company has always borne such an enviable reputation, and is so well established in the good graces of Pittsburghers that a warm and cordial greeting seems to be a matter of course.

Trimble's Varieties.

Specialties of a particularly enjoyable kind following one another in a lengthy and varied programme compose the nightly entertainment at Trimble's. Some of the performers are not new, but that is a point in their favor, for many that are well known are much more acceptable than some who make their initial appearance and fail to give satisfaction. This theater is a very enjoyable place to visit now.

Pennsylvania Female College.

The fourth concert of the season will be given next Tuesday evening in the chapel of the Pennsylvania Female College. The selections on the programme are from a wide range of authors.

Marion Harland in her new cook book "Breakfast, Luncheon and Tea," recommends the use of Prepared or Self Raising Flour in preference to Cream of Tartar and Soda or Expensive Baking Powder.

Views, Models, Machinery, and all outdoor work promptly attended to. BASSFORD, 10½ Sixth street.

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THE COURT RECORD.

A Complete Record of the Proceedings in the Courts Yesterday.

U. S. District Court.

(Before Judge McCandless.)

Milligan & Herschberger, bankrupts, city. Report of Register presented and order made to inquire whether the composition resolution was passed legally. Meeting to be held on 29th inst.

J. W. Grubbs, bankrupt, this city. Petition for an order on assignee to pay Jesse Reed, agent. Referred to Register Harper.

Wm. McKenney & Son, bankrupts, city. Order made for a meeting of creditors on the 6th prox.

England & Bindley vs. Wm. S. Casey, debtors, city. Jury empaneled and find that some of the facts set forth in the petition are true.

Olmstead & Jewhurst, of Crawford county, bankrupts. Order made for the sale of certain notes, book, accounts, &c.

George S. McCartney, bankrupt, Venango county. Assignee's report of sale of certain real estate confirmed absolute.

Frazier, Metzgar & Co., bankrupts, city. Order made directing the recording of the resolution of composition, and making the same binding.

Steele & Co., bankrupts, Titusville. Assignee's report of sale of certain claims presented and confirmed *nisi.*

Ellis Steele, bankrupt, Titusville. Order made confirming *nisi*, report of assignee, and leave granted to sell certain real estate.

Citizens Bank of Titusville. Order made for the sale of certain real estate at private sale.

A petition in bankruptcy was filed against the Red Bank Mining Company, of Clarion county.

Wm. A. McCormick, of Mercer, filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy.

A similar petition was filed by D. Harris, of Titusville, Pa.

Common Pleas No. 1.

(Before Judges Sterrett and Collier.)

Germania Sick Relief Society vs. Louis Rable and L. J. Brecht. Motion for a new trial by defendants.

Geo. A. Pinkerton vs. Torrens & McGreacen. Verdict for plaintiff for $252.45.

H. Darlington vs. The Penn Avenue Building and Loan Association, garnishee. Verdict for plaintiff for $417.99.

Robert Robb, for use of Frank Kolene, Sr., vs. Mary Ann Daley. On trial.

Samel C. Grier et al. vs. Nicholas Miller; action on a note. Verdict for plaintiff for $600.

T. J. Wallace vs. H. C. Bowers. Verdict for plaintiff for $150.97.

R. Patrick & Co. vs. Charles Geottman; action on a note. Verdict for plaintiff for $1,488.96.

C. H. Lincoln vs. D. O'Neill & A. W. Rook; action on an advertising contract. Plaintiff took a *non* suit.

Trial List for To-Day.

Swath vs. Deer.
Schalk et at. vs. McClurkan et al.
Same vs. Hostetter.
Maillord vs. First National Bank of Birmingham.
Reverty vs. The German Fire Insurance Company.
Powers vs. Pilgram.
Fritz vs. McKinney.
The Park Savings Bank vs. Hays et al.
Same vs. Diel.
Love vs. Mugel.
Tracy et al. vs. Leat.
McFarland et al. vs. Gainsford.

Common Pleas No. 2.

(Before Judges Ewing and White.)

Mrs. Mary McManus vs. John Coyle. Motion for a new trial *ex parte* plaintiff.

Haffey vs. Cruikshanks. Motion for a new trial *ex parte* defendent.

Isaac Crown et ux. vs. Henry Sellers et al.; before reported. On trial.

Edward Dawson vs. Wm. Woods; previously reported. On trial.

Mary Ellen Parks vs. Joseph Marshal and wife. J. G. Milligan appointed examiner.

James Davis for use of James McCandless vs. Pittsburgh Insurance Company; taken up last week. Juror withdrawn and case settled.

Trial List for To-day.

Kroegher vs. Birmingham Fire Insurance Company.
Davis, for use, vs. Cash Insurance Company of Pittsburgh.
Livingstone vs. Consolidated Gas Company.
McClurg, administrator, vs. Mellon, administratrix.
Eaton & Co. vs Keiffer et al.
McGrady vs. Fowler & Skeel.
Miller & Co. vs. Gallinger & Co.
Rosenberg & Co. vs. Niccols & Shaw.
Champ vs. Born.
Phillips et al. vs. Reed & Co.
Wanderlich vs. Waring & Co.
Murray vs. Stack & O'Connor.

Criminal Court.

(Before Judge Kirkpatrick.)

John Yerder was found guilty of barratry and sentenced to the Workhouse for nine months.

John Day and James Bane, are on trial for larceny on oath of Hugh Cargo.

Jacob Shield, for surety of peace, was heard, and the prosecutor directed to pay costs.

Henry Snider, found guilty of a charge of assault and battery, and sentenced to pay a fine of $10 and costs.

Erhard Linder plead guilty to assault and battery, on oath of John Hilderbrand, and was fined $50 and costs and ten days to jail. The imprisonment was afterwards remitted.

Martin Mullin, Thos. Donahue, Michael Healey and Mary Dugan, were acquitted of charges of conspiracy to defraud the Allegheny Valley Railroad Company, by drawing money for work not done.

Thomas Williams, who pleaded *nolo contendre* to a charge of larceny and receiving stolen goods, preferred by J. C. Anderson, was sentenced to two years in the Penitentiary.

Trial List for To-day.

Commonwealth vs.

John Shaffer,	Henrietta Ridgley et al.,
Jacob Galloway,	Levi Wolff,
Jeff. Morgan,	Christian Staarz,
Robt. Donaldson,	John Jones,
Nick Heid,	John Rogner,
Sarah Williams,	John Griffin,
Herman Drewey,	Geo. Garrick,
R. Walker,	John F. Cheatner,
Geo. Dougan,	Kate Clark,
John Rodgers,	Henry Dornch,
John Conway,	John H. Lee,
James McNally,	Ruth Smith,
Thos. McGinnis,	Samuel Hare,
Frank Dorsey,	Zerhart Johnston.
James Anderson,	

Orphans' Court.

(Before Judge Hawkins.)

S. P. Fulton appointed guardian of Harriet L. McGowan, minor.

Estate of John Anderson, deceased. Leave granted to sub-divide and sell in parts.

T. J. O'Heefe, administrator of A. M. Sellers, deceased. Petition for leave to sell real estate for payment of debts. Rule to show cause granted, returnable on the 22d inst.

Widow's appraisements were presented and approved *nisi* in the estates of Wm. W. Wilcox, Wm. Oliver, Robert A. Young, Philip Leininger and Col. Wm. Douglass.

Court Brevities.

THOMAS SNEE has commenced in the Common Pleas Court No. 2 two actions in ejectment against Samuel Chamberlain. They are for two tracts of land in Jefferson township.

U. S. COMMISSIONER GAMBLE is engaged in taking testimony in the case of Wm. Smith & Sons vs. J. Marshall & Co., for an alleged infringement of a patent for making pipe moulds.

CONSTABLE JACOB RUPP, of the Eleventh ward, Allegheny, some time since appointed J. J. Hays one of his deputies. Hays applied to Judge Kirkpatrick several times for an approval of the deputization, which His Honor refused. On Tuesday he applied to Judge White, who gave his approval, and Hays filed his bonds. Yesterday Judge White learned of Judge Kirkpatrick's refusal, and immediately withdrew his approval, and turned the case over to Judge Kirkpatrick. The latter endorsed upon the paper the following: "The foregoing deputization having been improperly and irregularly obtained from Judge White, and his signature having been erased by himself, the petition is refused." Hays is ordered to appear before the Criminal Court to-day, and give up his commission.

Valuable Stock at Auction to Close an Estate.

At Thomas F. Stewart's sale rooms, corner of Fifth avenue and Wood street, Friday evening, 24th inst., at 7:30 o'clock, the following stocks will be sold:

50 shares Exchange National Bank.
50 shares Iron City National Bank.
50 shares Third National Bank.
50 shares Masonic Deposit Bank.
25 shares Allegheny National Bank.
20 shares Fourth National Bank.
13 shares First National Bank of Pittsburgh.
20 shares M. & M. Insurance Co.
12 shares Ewalt street bridge.
19 shares Pennsylvania Insurance Co.
25 shares Armenia Insurance Co.
$2,500.00 Allegheny Valley Railroad Income Bonds.

Three story brick dwelling, No. 150 Fourth avenue, corner of Cherry alley, will be sold to the highest bidder.

320 acres Reynolds county, Mo., land, title satisfactory to buyer, or no sale.

THOS. F. STEWART,
Auctioneer.

Bassford.

$70,000 Sale of Coal and Farm Lands.

The Orphans' Court has ordered sales to the amount of seventy thousand dollars to be made on the estate of the late Thomas W. Briggs, in Baldwin township, south of the Monongahela. The executor presents seventeen parcels of real estate containing from two to sixty acres each, with buildings and improvements, and fifteen parcels of coal of two to ninety acres each. The result of this sale, which is peremptorily without reserve, will be looked to with great interest, as a splendid test of the public pulse in regard to real estate. Mr. Leggate, of Allegheny, has been selected as Auctioneer for the occasion, and we bespeak for that gentleman a large and enthusiastic audience on Friday (to-morrow) morning.

Unequaled Facilities.

BASSFORD, 10½ Sixth street.

Bassford.

BREVITIES.

····Our streets are again in a filthy condition.

····Yesterday's sun finished the sleighing here.

····The Council Committees on Legislation and Surveys meet this afternoon.

····Oliphant's new furnace, near Uniontown, will be in full blast by the first of April.

····Sermons on special subjects are being delivered every evening in the Fifth U. P. Church.

····Three fancy vehicles met destruction on Penn avenue on Tuesday night. Put it down on the slate.

····Warrants, payable next August, are what the police are getting now for their February services.

····The letter carriers of Allegheny would like parties changing their residence to notify them of the fact.

····Peter Cooper, a man every way competent to judge, estimates the late Mr. Astor's wealth at $200,000,000.

····The oil men and many of our merchants are determined to find out whether they can be discriminated against in freights or not.

····The Allegheny Sixth warders have gone back to the old fashioned candles. They can't stand gas at present rates any longer.

····The dullness in police circles last night was owing to the absence of "the boys" at the Democratic Convention at Lancaster.

····It is said that ten grains of picric acid, the article used for seal-brown color in stockings, will cause the death of a dog in a very short time.

····Common Council also sat down on Robert Grier yesterday. If Robert could only be got back, he would likely do a little sitting down himself.

····The finest amateur operatic concert ever given in Pittsburgh is promised for Library Hall in about six weeks, under the direction of Professor Tetedoux.

····Pat. Quinlan, a desperado of Wheeling, was shot on Monday night in a house of ill-fame in that city, by Mrs. Robinson, the proprietress, and possibly fatally injured.

···The interior of the Reform School buildings at Wood's Run is being scrubbed and whitewashed and the accumulations of years removed. This is preparatory to the official May hegira.

····Doctor W. H. Daly's name was by mistake included in the list of resignations of Superintendent and officers at the State Reform School as published yesterday. The Doctor has not resigned, nor has he been asked to do so.

····At the inquest yesterday upon the remains of Thomas Nelson who dropped dead the night before at the Chestnut street (Allegheny) station of the West Penn Railroad, a verdict of death from heart disease was returned.

····We have in our city an old gentleman who don't hurry much, and takes all things moderately. "Are you going to the Centennial?" asked a friend. "Hardly think I will this time," said he, "But if nothing happens, I shall try and attend the next one."

····Last night the first anniversary of the Young Women's Christian Association of East Liberty was celebrated in the Emory M. E. church, on Penn avenue. An address was delivered by Rev. Thomas Strong, of the Pennsylvania Female College.

····A freight brakeman on the Pennsylvania road fell off a train Monday night at the outer depot, and received a severe cut upon his head. Dr. Murdoch, the company's, physician was telegraphed for at two o'clock Tuesday morning, and went out to his assistance.

····The Rev. S. F. Scovel of the First Presbyterian church, will preach in the Fifth U. P. church, corner of Washington and Webster streets this (Thursday) evening at 7½ o'clock and the Rev. Jno Gailey will preach in the same church on Friday evening, subject "The Fatal Decision."

····One of the "independent officers" was yesterday complaining that Judge Kirkpatrick's mode of dispensing justice in the Criminal Court has had a terribly dampening effect upon new criminal business. He has frightened prospective evildoers into adopting Mr. Meagles's advice to Tattycorum to "count twenty-five."

····Elias Thompson, a colored manipulator of queensware at Hathaway & Newell's restaurant, on Fifth avenue, was arrested yesterday for being too careful of the knives, forks, spoons, &c., of his employers. His interest was of such a reaching character as to induce him to take the articles home to prevent them from getting lost. The Mayor committed him to jail for trial.

····The remains of Reuben Dutt, of Allegheny, who committed suicide by shooting himself in a car on the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago Railroad, night before last, arrived at his late home in Allegheny, yesterday, and were taken to Allentown, Pa., last evening for interment. It is said that he had succeded in spending $17,000 of his wife's money within two years.

····Tim Nestor, formerly a resident of Pittsburgh, but recently in the employ of the Glasgow Iron and Coal Company, near Port Washington, Ohio, was frozen to death yesterday evening while returning to the works from Port Washington in a condition of intoxication. It is supposed that he fell in the snow and was unable to get up again. The Coroner's jury rendered a verdict in accordance with the facts.

····Rumor has it that one of the objects of the secret session of the Legislative Investigating Committee, on Monday, was to obtain the sentiments of the members upon the proposed loan of $300,000. A majority of the committee, it is said, favor the consummation of the loan, and will so report. It is thought that when the committee resumes its work it will hurry the investigation to a close. It is proposed to limit counsel on each side to a certain number of hours, in which to present their testimony, and in this way it is hoped the prosy and interminable disquisitions of wordy witnesses will be avoided.

····An unsuccessful attempt to swindle a Fifth avenue jewelry firm out of $1,200 was made the other day. Some one signing himself G. O. White, wrote from Spring Creek Station, Warren county, Pa., requesting the firm to send him certain articles of jewelry suitable for birthday and wedding presents, C. O. D., by Adams Express. The firm put up the articles, but the company declined to send them until they knew that G. O. White lived at the place mentioned. The company's agent at that place was telegraphed to, and answered that no such individual resided in the place. The goods were therefore not sent.

····Dr. Diller Luther, General Agent of the State Board of Public Charities, Harrisburg, writes to R. D. McGonnigle, of the Allegheny Poor Board, that the tramp bill prepared by the Altoona Convention will be put through a severe ordeal at Harrisburg during the present session of the Legislature. It has passed the Senate finally, but with the clause stricken out that provides for the hiring out of tramp labor. In the House it has not passed its first reading, but the Doctor hopes that, though well shorn, the bill may answer a good purpose, though not being so effective as at first supposed.

····A man seventy-three years of age is in jail for the non-payment of taxes. He has been unable to do any work for several years, and has been supported by his daughter. Conrad Verokt is his name, and Constable Snee, of McKeesport, is responsible for his detention. The Commissioners exonerated him when the matter was brought to their attention, but he is still retained for costs. He will probably be released to-day. The Commissioners are much provoked that officers will so apply the law, which was clearly intended simply to compel those who are able, but not willing to pay, to settle up.

····At a recent meeting of the Allegheny County Literary Association a resolution was adopted advocating the organization of a literary society in each of the public schools of the county, the several societies to be connected with, or tributary to the county society. The Association believes that such societies would stimulate the student of literature, and the plan is endorsed by the following gentlemen: J. P. Wickersham, State Superintendent of Public Schools; James Dickson, County Superintendent of Public Schools; John Davis, Allegheny Superintendent of Public Schools; Geo. J. Luckey, Pittsburgh Superintendent of Public Schools.

····The *Leader* of last evening on its outside states upon the authority of the GAZETTE of yesterday morning (although it does not credit the item) that the conductors of the Pennsylvania Railroad had received orders to go to Philadelphia to have their measures taken for uniforms. In its "postscriptum" it states that Depot Master Butler knew nothing of such orders, and therefore, inferentially, they hadn't been issued. The *Leader* ought to interview another man, and then quit. Depot Master Butler simply knew nothing of the style of uniform. The GAZETTE'S item was correct in every particular. The GAZETTE is always correct, you can just depend on that.

PERSONAL.

***Charley Garber has an orange twenty-two inches in circumference on exhibition in the lobby of the Opera House.

***Rev. James S. Dickerson, D. D., formerly pastor of the First Baptist Church of this city, died on Tuesday at Chicago.

***Hon. Wm. McClelland, of this city, was elected at Lancaster yesterday, Chairman of the Democratic State Committee.

***Dr. W. H. Daly has not resigned his office of Physician to the Reform School. He will still perform his Daly duties there.

***Rev. Thomas Crumpton, Rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, on Roberts street, is seriously ill at his residence on Webster avenue.

***Mrs. Jane Gray Swisshelm sails for Europe next week. Her daughter Zoe goes with her, and will enter the Musical Conservatory at Liepsic, where she hopes to finish her musical education.

***Capt. M. B. Burghler, Warden of the Utah Penitentiary, who was killed a few days since in a mutiny among the inmates of that institution, was a brother of Dr. J. C. Burgher, of this city. He formerly resided here.

***D. R. Walker, J. H. Paist, Philadelphia officials. Wm. Walker, R. A. Welsh, of the Philadelphia *Day*, and L. R. Keiser, of Baltimore, are in the city organizing a stock company to operate a new invention for the cleaning of cess-pools.

GEM OF THE BLACK HILLS.

The Incidents of an Excursion to Custer City.

Life of the Adventurers on the Road—A Glimpse of the Grandeur of the Scenery—What the City of the Gold Hunters Looks Like.

Special Correspondence Pittsburgh Gazette.

CHEYENNE, WY. T., March 17, 1876.

I have just returned from an excursion of a fortnight into the Black Hills, and a more enjoyable jaunt, in all my wanderings, I never experienced. The overland trip, in one of the first-class coaches now running from here to Custer City, has all the exhilaration and novelty, with none of the discomforts or dangers, of the old overland journeys across the plains to Nevada and California. The regular departure of the mail coach has grown to be an event of great local significance, and the crack of the Jehu's whip is the signal for an outburst of enthusiasm from the crowd of proud Cheyennites who invariably centre at the starting point to give the adventurers a send-off.

ON THE ROAD TO THE HILLS.

I had the good fortune to be billeted with a party of old Nevada mining experts, who had struck it rich in the Argent State, and who were visiting the Hills more from curiosity than a desire to reap a portion of the new bonanza. The influx of adventurers, and the prospecting atmosphere evolved of them in this place, recalled to the older adventurers, two of whom were California "forty-niners," the bright, and the troublesome times of the "Argonauts," and during the first fifty miles of the journey the passage of time was unnoted, so absorbing were the anecdotes of that rare time when men dug fortunes in a day from the earthy pockets of the golden State.

The modern comforts of the coach were resented by these old Washoe campaigners, almost as an insult, and though our leaders spun along on a swinging gallop, the sage brush heroes swore that, compared with the gait of the old-time drivers, we were walking, and then they lied by the furlong to substantiate their oaths. Some of their stories of the bloody adventures of the early days at the base of Mount Davidson awed me, and shook my confidence in the truthfulness of Pacific coast mankind, but the measure of my admiration was not complete until they let the stage stories into me, and they settled it. Their inventive powers paralyzed me, and from that time forth my mental resistance ceased, and they just poured lies into me until I was wearied with the load and dropped asleep.

THE MEN YOU MEET.

The second day out the road was lined with the "prairie schooners" of the immigrants, and as we passed each train, or wagon, we were received with an ovation. Foot passengers were by no means so rare, as the state of the weather before starting would seem to indicate, a heavy snow storm having prevailed over all this region, and their weary tramp, and burden of provisions and arms, did not apparently depress their spirits, and frequently before reaching them the echoes of an inspiriting ballad were carried back to us by the sharp March wind. Great numbers of the men who were on the road, on foot and in wagons, were very evidently from the East, but they seemed to have accommodated themselves to the rough life of the frontier, and in the full, hearty ring of their voices, as they saluted us, there were tones of courage and determination that augured well for their success in their new field of enterprise, where nerve, brain, and muscle will all be required to reap success. From more than one wagon came the cheerful gleams of brightly burning stove fires, and this moving preparation of meals spoke loudly of the anxiety of the adventurers to arrive at the Mecca of their hopes. The speed and endurance of their horses were being taxed to the utmost, and every man on the way seemed to be actuated by a determination to get to the gold fields at the earliest possible moment.

NATURE'S ART GALLERY.

As we neared Custer City the grandly beautiful scenery of this art garden of Nature surrounded us on all sides. In the distance the snow capped summit of Harney's Peak loomed up, magnificent. Intervening were endless successions of hills and mountains all indescribably beautiful in the wintry vestments conferred by the recent snow storm. From any considerable elevation the prospect is bewilderingly varying. The eye rises to the magnitude of grand and hoary mountains, monarchs of the chain, and in seeking relief from the awesome immensity of these great piles it is surfeited with the gloomy grandeur of bottomless abysses; delighted with the waving variegations of dense forests, and the alternations of lovely peaks, lawns of velvet, and slopes of gentle, pleasing and artistic undulations. Out of the valleys, and above the slopes, pine forests spring from the mountain sides, and these are marked by rich green peaks, some of them several miles in extent. The landscape is perfect, and though its component parts are always the same, the scenery never becomes monotonous, because of the wondrous diversity of arrangement of the materials that go to make up the picture.

THE METROPOLIS OF THE HILLS.

On the evening of the second day, just as the shadows of night were settling down, we whirled into the metropolis of the Hills, about fifty hours out from Cheyenne. We went into the hurly-burly on a run, and the population of the town received us. Every individual of the hundreds that gathered upon the arrival of the mails seemed crazy to shake the hands of the new arrivals, and for ten minutes after our entry, and until after the mail had been distributed, the stage office was a pandemonium. In the accents of the motley crowd could be detected the peculiar colloquialisms of every section of the country. The miners were from all stations in life, and in that unique crowd the lusty bullwhacker of the plains familiarly jostled the cultivated physician, lawyer, or merchant of the Eastern or Southern States. The past condition of the citizens of Custer City was not discernible by their dress, as here, everybody affected the rough laboring apparel of the miner and prospector. The sage brush experts were at home with the crowd in a moment, and in their zeal for points on the Hills they immediately forgot the weariness superinduced by their long ride.

NATURAL ADVANTAGES OF THE NEW CITY.

Custer City is built upon a beautiful site, in the French Creek Valley, and by its admirable position it is destined to be the metropolis of the new country. At present its appearance is grotesque. The substantial buildings are few, as many of the present population are living in tents and will move off into the Hills as soon as the mining season fairly opens. The town has been regularly constituted, and there are plenty of streets—or there would be plenty—on the map. A saw mill has been running for several weeks, and this enterprise is regarded with lordly pride by every citizen of the town, from the first settlers to the novice of twenty-four hours.

The stockade built by the first party of white men that braved the dangers of the Hills is one of the first things the new arrival in Custer inquires after, there being a general impression that it is located immediately in the neighborhood of the city. The location of the stockade is about four miles below the city, at a place known as Camp Harney. It is about eighty feet square, with walls of upright logs about fifteen feet high, and it has the appearance of a formidable fortress. The single entrance is protected by a bullet-proof double gate, and loop-holes are pierced on each side of the gate to facilitate the defense of the passage way. The walls have loop-holes for riflemen, and the spaces between the logs are covered by boards to prevent the passage of an enemy's bullet. The fort could have been held against almost any number of Indians, and its builders could, for a time, have successfully resisted the Government forces, even. The builders of the fort had laid out a town around their quarters, but the superior natural advantages of Custer City have bankrupted the hopes of these locators, and there will be no attempt made to build up a rival to the "Gem City" of the Hills, as the fond citizens of Custer call their young city.

The arrivals in Custar average, now, from seventy-five to one hundred persons per day, and each week the number grows greater. Men are coming in from every point of the compass, but the arrivals via Cheyenne are more numerous than by any other route. There are a great many arrivals via the Bismarck and Yankton routes, and every such arrival increases the popularity of Cheyenne, as the immigrants by these routes are universal in their condemnation of the execrable roads they had to travel over, and the suffering and loss that was entailed upon them in consequence.

THE MINERS AND THEIR PROSPECTS.

Mining and prospecting was not very brisk, as the great majority of the men were waiting for the final breaking up of winter, and hundreds of others were engaged in fixing permanent quarters for themselves. Several claims have been worked all winter, with varying success, but as yet there have been no bonanza strikes. However, a more hopeful set of men than those now in the Hills it would be impossible to encounter. The bad luck of themselves, or others, has no lasting effect upon them, and nine in every ten of them are serenely confident of finding the fortune that they came here in search of. It is true, notwithstanding that some of the early immigrants have become discouraged and left the Hills. I have met several of this class of men, and a majority of those with whom I was brought into contact impressed me with a lack of their own energy. They embarked in the adventure with no realization of the hardships of a miner's life, in a wild, undeveloped country, and they found after a short trial that their nerve was not equal to the trial they had made for themselves.

Thus far society in the Hills has been remarkable for decorum. There have been very few brawls, and but one violent death, and that was caused by the accidental discharge of a revolver. At first this accident was magnified to the crime of murder, but investigation proved that there was no foundation for the report.

THE CLIMATE THEY LIVE IN.

The climate of Custer City, and the region in the vicinity is of the most enjoyable nature. It is much more temperate than that of Cheyenne, and the miners who have been in the Hills during the winter say that it has been equable, and on the whole quite enjoyable.

On my return to this place, much as I expected a great increase in the number of arrivals for the Hills, I was astounded at the number of men that were pouring into the city. The great majority of the immigrants are from points east of Omaha, and it has already been found necessary to run special miners' trains, on the Union Pacific Railroad, to this point to accommodate the legion that is pouring in here. They are all well informed of the current news of the Hills, but no amount of discouraging news would deter them from pressing on.

They meet the assertion that men are returning poverty stricken from the Hills with the argument that men returned from California, in the same fix, in the early days, and the assurance that as the gold was found there, so it will be found in the New El Dorado.

BOHEMIAN.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Deeds Filed for Record.

The following transfers of real estate were placed on file in the Recorder's office yesterday:

W. J. Fawcett et ux. to Robert D. Armstrong, Feb. 25, 1876, lot on River avenue, Eighth ward, Allegheny. Consideration..........$15,000

James Park et ux. to Mrs. Ellen D Cass, May 5, 1863; 1 acre and 42 perches in Ohio township. Consideration..........$568 12½

George P. Lang to Frederick Lang, Feb. 26, 1876; 3 lots on Concord street, Seventh ward, Allegheny. Consideration..........$1,000

Isaac Heister et ux. to Jane C. Youard, May 6, 1872; lot on Fourth street, Grantville. Consideration..........$400

David Sands et ux. to David R. McPherson, Oct. 1, 1874; lot on Henry avenue, Sewickley. Consideration..........$650

Joseph Johnston et ux. to John Leary, March 8, 1876; lot on Spruce street, Twenty-seventh ward, city. Consideration..........$625

John Niebel et ux. to Philip Hoerr, March 8, 1876; lot on Sidney street, Twenty-sixth ward, city. Consideration..........$3,355 89

George Quaill et ux. to David R. Quaill, December 20, 1875; 5 acres and 112.9 perches in Ross township. Consideration: natural love and affection and..........$1

George H. Stroke to Sarah J. McElheny, March 16, 1876; 60 acres in Shaler township. Consideration..........$10,500

James Marlatt et ux. to James Gormley, October 11, 1875; lot in Chartiers township. Consideration..........$200

John Miller et ux. to Samuel M. Miller, January 26, 1876; lot on Eighth street, Mifflin township. Consideration..........$700

T. H. Mellon et ux. to R. H. Beatty, May 20, 1875; lot on Nineteenth street, Twentieth ward, city. Consideration..........$4,000

Mark B. Kelso et ux., et al., to South Fayette School District, July 30, 1875; 1 acre in South Fayette township. Consideration..........$300

Patrick McGough to Rose McGough, February 25, 1875; lot on Broadway street, Nineteenth ward, city. Consideration..........$650

Wm. Mullins et ux. to E. P. Jones, December 7, 1874; three lots on Centre avenue. Consideration..........$2,150

ALLEGHENY RELIEF SOCIETY.

Thanks to Those Who Took Part in the Tableaux Vivant.

The Allegheny Relief Society held a meeting yesterday, at which the net proceeds of the tableaux vivant, given on the 9th inst., for the benefit of the Society, amounting to $181, were handed in. A vote of thanks was offered to those who so kindly aided upon the occasion, viz.: The ladies who had the affair in charge—Mrs. Holdship, Mrs. McCandless, Mrs. Barnes, Mrs. Albree, Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Judge Jones and Mrs. W. P. Marshall. To Mr. Will Thompson, whose fine reading added much to some of the tableaux, also to Madame Loheyde, Messrs. J. T. Irwin, Retter, Mayerhufer and Vandervort for musical performances, &c., Mr. Charles Mellor for use of piano, Messrs. A. S. Murray and R. Westar for attention to business, Mr. Hale for his kindness in selling tickets, and to all others whose efforts aided in making the exhibition so great an artistic success. The amount will enable the Society to pay its February bills, but for March another appeal for funds will have to be made. It is said that poverty and suffering have not decreased, and will not until the cold weather has left entirely.

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Steamship Arrivals Yesterday.

Dispatches received at Max Schamberg's European Steamship Exchange and Telegraph Office, at 163 Smithfield street, announce the arrival of the steamer Bolivia, at Moville; the steamer Switzerland, at Antwerp; and the steamer Othello, at Hull.

Next Week the citizens of Pittsburgh can see a genuine walking match at Lafayette Hall between Miss Fraulean Hilderbrandt and Miss Louisa Coleman, for a purse of three hundred dollars. All ladies should see them.

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LATEST RIVER NEWS.

WASHINGTON, 1 A. M., March 23, 1876.

The probabilities are that the central Mississippi river will continue to rise slowly from Cairo to Vicksburg, and fall slowly at stations above Cairo. The lower Ohio will rise slightly.

WHEELING, March 22, 1876.

River eleven feet and falling. Weather clear and cold.

RICE'S LANDING, March 22, 1876.

River six feet eight inches and falling. Weather cloudy.

PARKER'S LANDING, March 22, 1876.

River thirty-two inches and falling. Weather clear and cold.

BROWNSVILLE, March 22, 1876.

River seven feet three inches and falling slowly. Weather cloudy.

CINCINNATI, March 22, 1876.

River 30 feet; falling. Clear and cool. Departed—Thomas Sherlock, New Orleans; Andy Baum, Memphis; Glasgow, Evansville

ST. LOUIS, March 22, 1876.

Arrived—Grand Tower, Memphis; Fanny Lewis, Kansas City; Mitchell, Keokuk; City of Vicksburg, Vicksburg; Lee, Peoria; Brilliant, Paducah. Departed—Commonwealth, New Orleans; Grand Tower, Memphis; Peoria, St. Louis; Cambridge and Mitchell, Dubuque. River stationary. Cloudy and warm; a heavy snow fell since 4 P. M.

EVANSVILLE, March 22, 1876.

Clear till evening, but now cloudy, with prospects of rain or snow; mercury 25 to 41. River 27 6-10 feet, and rising slowly. Up—Pat Cleburne, 4 A. M.; Geo. Roberts, 3 P. M. Down—Liberty No. 2 and tow, 4; Joe Bigler and tow and John W. Wood and tow, 9; Alice Brown and tow, 10:30 P. M.; Thos. W. Means and tow, 3:30; Morning Star, 4; Red Cloud, 4:30. Business dull.

MEMPHIS, March 22, 1876.

The river rose four inches. Cloudy and cool; mercury 36. Arrived—Chester, St. Louis. Departed—Belle of Texas, Arkansas river; Schenck and Cherokee, New Orleans; Capital City, St. Louis; Lookout, Ohio river.

CAIRO, March 22, 1876.

Arrived—Ste. Genevieve, St. Louis, 1 P. M.; Shinkle, Cincinnati, 4. Departed—Rover and Atlantic, St. Louis, noon; Ste. Genevieve, Vicksburg, 3 P. M.; Shinkle, Memphis, 5. River 40 feet 2 inches; rising. Cloudy and cool.

LOUISVILLE, March 22, 1876.

Cool and clear. Departed—Jno. L. Rhodes, Pittsburgh; Nashville, Tennessee river; Fawn, Anderson. River 11 feet 10 inches in the canal.

NEW ORLEANS, March 22, 1876.

Clear and pleasant. Arrived—Thompson Dean, Memphis; Frank Pargoud, Greenville. Departed—Chas. Morgan, Cincinnati; Scudder, St. Louis.

NASHVILLE, March 22, 1876.

The river is falling, with 22 feet on shoals. Arrived—Laura L. Davis, Burksville. Departed—T. T. Hillman and John L. Bransford, Upper Cumberland.

VICKSBURG, March 22, 1876.

Up—Colorado, 10 P. M., Tuesday; Shreveport, 12 M. to-day.

Advertised Letters---Official List.

List of Letters Remaining in the Postoffice, at Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, Pa., on Wednesday, March 22, 1876.

To obtain any of these letters, the applicant must call for advertised letters, giving the date of the list. If not called for within four weeks they will be sent to the Dead Letter Office.

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Wednesday, March 22, 1876. }

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Anderson Millie
Bangert Almeda
Benard Mrs C
Bennett Mrs J K
Birchfield E
Bosworth M
Brown A C for
Brown R B
Brooks Mollie
Buetler K E
Carter M
Coffer Jennie
Collins J for
Cook J C
Conars M A
Conway Mary
Conway Mrs J
Copley Ada
Copley M
Criswell M M
Cunningham M E
Daffer Maria
Dagbella M A
Dawson S
Dick Becca
Dickey S A
Dickey Sue
Doarn C N
Dort'e Maggie
Early Annie
Ehle Anna
Elizabeth Sister M
Elliott Patti
Engels Ida
Evans Mrs E
Evans A M
Farnsworth M
Fenlan A M for
Floyd Mary
Frew Mrs D
Frose Mrs
Gafnay C S
Gardiner Mollie
Garrison A F
Graham A B
Graves W C
Grover Addie
Guntner Mrs
Hanby A
Hawkins M J
Hardman M A for
Harlin Mrs R
Harris Susan
Harper Mrs J
Hayes M 2
Henderson Flora
Higgins Annie
Hill Mrs R for
Hileman M A
Hogel C
Hollins L
Holmes F
Hughes S E
Hunter Mrs H
Jacob Lizzie
Jones Maggie
Jones S L
Kingsborough H
Madison M
Marshall A
Marshall Mrs
Mercer J
Miles O E S
Miller Mrs H
Moore Mrs Jane
Morgan E S
Morton Ada
Myers Emma
McBride L
McCandless H
McGregory Kate
McGuffy Mary
McGuire Emma
Norris N M
Norton Annie
Oldmyre Mary
Paine Mary L
Paul Ella M
Preston E
Ray Eva
Rea Flora
Reddie Mrs Thos
Reed Jennie
Reed Rebecca
Rees Mary
Richardson Lou
Rinelott A
Robbins Annie
Rogers Nettie
Rodgers J for
Ronick Laura
Rony Mary
Shaffer A
Shay Lizzie C
Shivley M
Sickles Kate
Simpson Mattie
Sloughter Mrs
Smith Mrs R
Springs Ellie
Stewart F B
Thompson Bell
Thurston M
Walker Nellie
Warnecke C
Wattles L
Weaver Callie
Wenzel M
West J A
Westerfelt H M
White D C
White Jennie
White Minnie
Williams Jessie
Williams Mary
Wilson Lizzie F
Wood M

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, }
WEDNESDAY, March 22, 1876. }

Gentlemen's List.

Abbott G W
Agnew H L
Allen W C
Baldwin L C
Bandall S L
Barnes M
Barry John
Bartlett H D
Basson W W
Bee Wm
Benard A F
Benedict J B
Bently T A
Bergman B
Birchfield Wm
Black C S
Blythe F P
Bodess J D
Bonta J A
Bowles F
Brown C
Bryan W M
Bunn W M
Burks F
Carlin Thos
Carmagh Jas
Carnigham W W
Charles L C
Claybaugh J
Clearer A B
Clark John
Collins C C
Connor John
Copeland Wm
Corney John (for
Coyle John
Cross C F
Crumb Geo
Cunningham Dr
Dale Titos (for)
Daly James (for)
Davis Joseph
Davis R L
Dennison J
Dodisman J D
Duncan J E O C
Duffy Frank
Eastburn C H
Ebbert H L
Eberman D P
Eckles R J
Edwards G H
Engelhardt A
Ewing Dr A W
Evans D
Evans Samuel
Evans S E
Farley A C
Farse Oliver
Farrell J J F
Feder Marcus for
Ficher S
Flack John
Force La Faye'e
Frader Sam for
Frazier Henry
Frazier S J
Fryes Wm
Fuller W A
Fulton T R
Gaddis Dr S
Gallaher R C for
Garnes Robt
Garritt D N
Garrigan M
Gehring John
Gels Joseph
Gilmore A
Girley Wm
Gladden Geo MD
Goehring J M
Graim A B
Green S E
Gross H W
Groot Wm
Guthrie S D
Gersohmen P
Hambay J T
Hamilton G E
Hamilton G W 2
Hamilton P
Hammert H W
Harris Ed J
Harris M
Haslett Wm
Hayward B
Heddel Jno (for
Heeney Pat (for
Herr J C (2
Herron Francis (for)
Hilker L
Hines C
Hopper W
Harrigan James
Horsinger Benj
House G L (for
Howley P R
Hoyer C A
Huggins C G
Hughus L
Humm J
Hutchinson S W
Ingram D B
Ingram Wm
Jack Thos
Jenison C V
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Keau Thos
Kelley C
Kendall Geo
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Korr J G
Killy M D
King Patrick
Kleas Jno
Klose Paul
Kohn F
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Lake Jno
Lamberton C
Langue C
Lardner Wm
Larner Thos (for
Lathrope Mr
Laughlin R Jr
Laro Jacob
Laro John
Lawrie R
Leasure Dr D
Lecy Geo
Leech F
Leech R T
Lenard Wm
Lippincott J
Long H M
Lytle A
Mackan J H
Magovern J
Mahoney J O
Manks J A
Mantz Wm
Matthews M C
Maynard H W
Martin F J
Mechim J
Metz H A G
Mercer J J
Merts Jno
Midholland J H
Millekin A C
Miller H
Miller Wm
Mitchell J G
Mortimer T
Moore J A
Moore R D
Murray J R
Myer A
McAlly M
McBride T H
McCahon W
McClelland D C
McConnell A M
McCormick D C
McCurdy Rev J M
McElwain M
McFarlane J W
McGaffry Jas
McHenry M
McIlvain T H
McKee David
McKelvy Saml
McKnight Jas
McMurry Jno
Matlan M
Neil Daniel
Newman R H
Newton John
Noble C H
O'Connor John
O'Hara Patrick
O'Keif John
Parson Jas
Paul J G
Pender M
Petrie Harry
Phillips T F
Playford W H
Prince Wm
Raymond J T
Raymond J W
Reed Wm
Ripper P
Roebel Franz
Rodey J D
Rosenblatt H
Satten C K
Satler Walter
Scanlon Daniel
Scherve H A
Schwartz H
Scott Wm
Selbert Jacob
Selbel Adolph
Seigle Samuel
Shaw S P
Shelly Wm H
Shibe John
Simpson L C
Simpson Dr T P
Stut M H
Skinner H (for
Sloan Rev J R W
Smithson T
Snyder Geo A 2
Smith Frank
Smith Geo
Smith Samuel
Sobernheim J
Speers Wm
Stevens Thos R
Stewart S F
Stewart John
Stowell S S
Stratton John
Taylor H J
Taylor M A
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Tuttle H O
Valentine R
Vimp Henry
Walsh John (for
Waugh Wm
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LOURIMORE—On Tuesday, March 21, 1876, at 4½ o'clock A. M., ANNA M. BEECHER, wife of C. Jackson Lourimore, aged 26 years and 5 months.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her husband, corner of Kirkpatrick and Linden streets, Pittsburgh, TO-DAY, at half-past ten o'clock A. M.

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TO LET—TWO PLEASANT SECOND story rooms, with water and gas, at No. 14 Sampson street, Allegheny. Also in same house from May 1st, for four or five months, 4 furnished rooms, with wash house and bath room privileges. References required. c10

TO LET—INQUIRE OF ANDREW D. SMITH, at La Belle Steel Works, Allegheny city, or Iron City National Bank, Pittsburgh. 1 Brick Dwelling House, No. 100 Center avenue, Pittsburgh. Warehouse, corner of First avenue and Wood street, Pittsburgh. Two (2) first-class Pressed Brick Front Dwelling Houses, with modern improvements, fronting the Park, on Montgomery avenue, Allegheny. b57

TO LET — HOUSES — OR WILL EXCHANGE for desirable city property—a handsome two-story Frame Dwelling on the Perrysville Plank Road, containing six rooms, finished attic and outside kitchen, with city gas and all modern improvements, with a good stable and one acre of ground planted with an abundance of fruit-bearing trees and shrubbery. Also, one dwelling, containing eleven rooms, three acres of ground, good stable, city gas and an abundance of fruit trees and shrubbery, within ten minutes' walk of the head of Federal street. Apply to J. A. McKEE & SONS, 56 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh.

TO LET OR FOR SALE—A HOUSE OF SEVEN ROOMS, with 12 acres ground suitable for gardening, on Hiland avenue. Will be sold in whole or in part, to suit purchasers.
ALSO,
To Let, a Room 32x65 feet, with power. Inquire of
S. LOGAN,
83 Corner Twenty-sixth and Penn streets.

TO LET.
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One of those very desirable two story Dwelling Houses, in Gray's Row, on Cedar avenue, Allegheny; fronting on East Park, between Liberty and Avery streets, one square from either line of street cars, and ten minutes' walk from the Market House. Apply to
JAMES PARK, JR.,
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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—PURE LAKE ICE BY the car load or larger quantities. Address HENDRY & PORTER, Sandusky, Ohio. c65

FOR SALE—TWO FINE BUILDING Sites for private residences; will be sold at a sacrifice for cash. Address Box 1106 Pittsburgh, Pa. c43

FOR SALE—PIANO—A STEINWAY in first-rate order. Price $250. Call at 114 Page street, Allegheny. b50

FOR SALE—OAK TANNED LEATHER Belting, Harness Leather, Fair Bridle, Fair Skirting, Lace Leather, &c. THORP & CO., 144 Water street, Pittsburgh.

FOR SALE—TWELVE NEW AND second-hand Engines, 2 Portables; 6 Second-hand Engine Lathes, 1 Trip Hammer, 1 Planer. T. CARLIN, corner of Lacock and Sandusky streets, Allegheny.

FOR SALE—LARGE STOCK OF NEW and second-hand BOILERS, in complete order. County Inspector's certificate of test with each boiler. Repairing done promptly at the WEST POINT BOILER WORKS, 13 Water street, R. MUNROE, successor to Watson & Munroe.

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The whole or part of an an old established retail coal business, and will lease for a term of years, yards, landings and coal elevators. For terms inquire of the undersigned at No. 19 West Third street, Cincinnati, at 11 A. M.
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FOR SALE—ONE ENGINE, 16 INCH diameter, 30 inch stroke, on heavy iron bed plates, having McIntosh, Hemphill & Co.'s balance slide valves. Also, 2 double-flued Boilers, 24 feet long each, 40 inches diameter, C. H. No. 1 Iron. The above is all complete and in good running order and nearly new.
ALSO.
One Pan, 9 feet in diameter and Rollers for Grinding Fire Clay, together with all the Machinery and Moulds for making Fire Brick, and a lot of Shafting, Pulleys and Belting. Enquire of C. H. ARMSTRONG, 28th and Liberty street, or J. & J. B. MULHOLLAND, 5th avenue. c53

Robt. Davis,
GRAIN CHOPPING MILL
Corner 31st Street and A. V. R. R.
White Corn Meal in paper sacks or by the barrel
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Grinding done to order for parties furnishing their own grain.
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I want all the good cotton and woolen RAGS can get, and will pay the highest market price, either in CASH or trade.
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Of the entire and valuable stock of Goods in the store of the late PHILIP GRAEFF, No. 87 Market street, consisting of the Finest and Costliest

Silks, Satins, Cashmeres,
Velvets and Silk Poplins,
Laces, Flowers and
Dress Goods
OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,
REDUCED 50 TO 75 PER CENT.,
And far below Factory Cost, affording the Greatest Bargains ever known in this City.
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IN ORDER TO REALIZE ON THE
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Now on hand, we will offer all goods of
OUR OWN MANUFACTURE AT LESS THAN COST PRICE,
FOR THE
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Now is the time to purchase if you wish to buy cheap.
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AUCTION SALES.

FOR SALE,
HOUSE AND LOT,
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This finely situated residence is offered at private sale. The lot is 30 by 115 feet. The house is a
THREE STORY BRICK
Of fourteen rooms; carriage house and stable in the rear; fine view of the East Park, and unexceptionable neighborhood. Apply to
A. LEGGATE,
AUCTIONEER,
178 Federal street, Allegheny.

CARPETS.
A large Auction Sale of CARPETS will be held at A. Leggate's Auction House, 178 Federal street, Allegheny, on THURSDAY, March 23, at 2 o'clock, to which the special attention of housekeepers is invited.
This is the Annual Clearance Sale by a large Carpet House of all accumulations of Old Styles, Short Lengths, Remnants, &c.
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AT AUCTION!
ELEGANT
WALNUT FURNITURE,
Brussels Carpet, Upright Piano, &c.,
At residence of Ex-Judge Sutton, 65 Union avenue, Allegheny,
NEXT MONDAY MORNING, March 27th,
AT 10 O'CLOCK.
Will be sold the very rich furnishment of said residence, comprising 1 suite of Egyptian style Parlor Furniture of Oiled Walnut, upholstered in rich Silk Rep, (9 pieces), large Mantle Mirror, (French Plate Glass), Body Brussels Carpet in Parlor, fine Walnut Side Board, Walnut Book Case, Walnut Extension Table, Marble Top Table, Patent Refrigerator, enameled inside, Dressing Bureaus, Wardrobe, Bedsteads, Beds, Hall Rack, Brussels Hall Carpet, Stair Carpet and Rods, Walnut Dining Room Chairs, Kitchen Chairs, Fenders, Fire Irons, Coal Vases, Brussels Carpet in Bed Rooms, Dining Room and Kitchen Utensils, China Ware, &c. Also, a superior UPRIGHT OR CABINET GRAND PIANO.
SALE POSITIVE. This sale will be found to be specially attractive. The furniture is of superior quality, has been only a few months in use, and is in very good order.
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AUCTION SALE
OF
Men and Boys' Clothing,
CLOTHS, CASSIMERES,
Gents' & Boys' Underwear, &c.
At the store of URLING, FOLLANSBEE & CO.,
121 Wood Street, cor. Fifth avenue,
Commencing on FRIDAY MORNING, March 24, and continuing until goods are all sold.
The attention of the public is invited to this sale. As we are about to remove to our new store, we are determined to close our stock now on hand.
URLING, FOLLANSBEE & CO.
N. WHITING & CO.,
c78 AUCTIONEERS.

FOR SALE!
We will offer at Public Sale, THURSDAY, MARCH, 23d, at 1 o'clock P. M., our entire Works, situated in Bellaire, Ohio, viz.: One Eight Pot Furnace, one three story brick Pot Room, Packing Room and Ware Room, Stock and Straw Sheds, Box Shop, Blacksmith Shop, Engine and Engine House, Moulds and Tools, and Machinery necessary to run said Works.
The above works have been devoted for the past four years to the manufacture of off-hand and moulded Lamp Chimneys; has a well established trade and doing a good business; is located at the mouth of the main coal bank of the city, thereby saving cartage on coal. There belongs to the Works one acre of ground, fronting the main street of Bellaire. We have two railroads and the river for shipping advantages. The furnaces are in good repair. Two main buildings brick; furnace ready to light at any time. Parties wishing to engage in the manufacturing business will find it to their interest to examine the above.
Terms reasonable.
c29 OHIO GLASS CO.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE.
That large THREE STORY BRICK BUILDING 22x88 feet, situated corner Lacock and Sandusky streets, Allegheny City, formerly occupied as a Cracker Bakery by Steel & Elphenstone. Size lot 25x88 feet; attached to the building is a new 25 horse power Engine. The property is well calculated for different manufacturing purposes; a rare chance and good opportunity is offered to parties who may wish to purchase, as the property will be sold low.
CRACKER MACHINERY.
1 Holmes' large size Snap Machine, with Snap and Jumble Cutters, in good order—nearly new. 1 J. W. Ruger & Co.'s No. 4 Cutting Machine, with 12 Cutters, latest patent. 1 J. W. Ruger & Co.'s Dough Break, 22 inches, tight and loose pully, with two balance wheels. 1 J. W. Ruger & Co.'s Sheet Rolls for steam power, largest size. 1 large Iron Safe. Enquire of
WM. SCHOMAKER, Assignee,
52 and 54 Seventh avenue,
c23 Pittsburgh, Pa.

LEGAL.

ESTATE OF SARAH MARSHALL, DECEASED.—EXECUTORS' NOTICE.—Letters testamentary having been granted the undersigned upon the estate SARAH MARSHALL, late of Pittsburgh, Pa., deceased, all persons indebted to said estate are required to make immediate payment, and those having claims against said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement.

A. S. BELL,
DANIEL CHESTNUT,
Executors,
b78-TH Pittsburgh, Pa.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the OHIO STREET PREMIUM AND LOAN ASSOCIATION of Allegheny City will make application to His Excellency, JOHN F. HARTRANFT, Governor of this Commonwealth, for a Charter to incorporate the said Association. The object of the Association is the accumulation of funds from weekly dues, from which loans shall be made to members to aid them in their business and assist them in providing homes for themselves, and other objects permitted by law to Building and Loan Associations. The place of meeting is at C. Schlurbach's, No. 135 Ohio street.

JOHN H. MUELLER,
Attorney-at-Law,
c52 No. 158 Fourth avenue.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Western District of Pennsylvania. In the matter of WILLIAM JAHN, Bankrupt. No. 2,676. In Bankruptcy. Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of said WILLIAM JAHN, Bankrupt, will be held at the office of the undersigned, Register in Bankruptcy, No. 98 Diamond street, in the city of Pittsburgh, on WEDNESDAY, the 5th day of April, A. D. 1876, at 10 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of considering and passing upon a proposition to be made to them by said William Jahn, in full settlement and satisfaction of all debts due to them; and further, that under the order of the Court directing said meeting, I will attend at the above mentioned time and place, to conduct the proceedings at said meeting. Creditors can attend either in person or by proxy duly appointed.

SAMUEL HARPER,
c70 Register in Bankruptcy.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS NO. 2 OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY.—Wm. H. Brown's Adm's. vs. Robert Cornell and Andrew Werling. No. 350 January Term, 1876. Execution. Money in Court, $36,240.35.

[L. S.] And now, to-wit, February 28, 1876, the Court appointed C. Hasbrouck, Esq., Auditor, to distribute the money in court among lien creditors, &c. By the Court.

From the Record.

Attest—B. F. KENNEDY, Pro.

The undersigned appointed Auditor to make distribution of the money in court, (arising from sale of real estate) in the above case, will attend to the duties of said appointment, at his office, No. 154 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, on Monday, the 27th day of March, 1876, at 2 o'clock P. M., when and where all parties interested will attend and prove their claims, or be forever debarred from coming in upon said fund.

C. HASBROUCK, Auditor.
c8-TTHS-S

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Just received, a full line of CLOTHS and CASSIMERES, Spring and Summer Wear.
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THURSDAY EVENING, March 23,
The ever Popular Favorite,
LOTTA!
In the new Drama, written expressly for her by Fred. Marsden, Esq., entitled
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MUSETTE..........LOTTA
Saturday—"LOTTA" MATINEE.

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FRED. AIMS..........Manager.
MONDAY, March 20th, 1876. New Company, Constantine and Leclaire, Cassim and Fritz, Cotton and Birdue, Kitty Sharpe, John Bucklin, Manchester and Jennings, Garretta Troupe, Gorman and Romer, Kine Brothers, Adrienne Gray, Joe Lang, &c. Family Matinees Every Wednesday and Saturday. Entire change of Programme Mondays and Saturday.

LIBRARY HALL.
A Minstrel performance for the benefit of the
Pittsburgh Association for the Improvement of the Poor,
will be given by
THE CENTENNIALS,
ON
Friday Evening, March 24th,
Box Sheet now open at Hale's Music Store, 103 Smithfield street.
Admission, including reserved seats, $1.

LIBRARY HALL.
SIX NIGHTS AND MATINEE,
COMMENCING MONDAY, MARCH 27.
Carncross & Dixey's Minstrels.
Among the novelties presented will be the great musical sensation of the season, as sung 118 times to houses overcrowded, hundreds being nightly turned away,
"THE SWEET BYE AND BYE,"
Solo by Mr. J. L. CARNCROSS.
The Centennial Tableaux and the Impeachment Trial.
Sale of seats commences on Thursday, 23d inst., at Hale's Music Store. Seats secured in advance. Admission 50c, 75c and $1.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE—MR. ERNST PRIDDAT, having resigned the General Agency of the German-American Insurance Company of Pennsylvania, the duties of that position will hereafter be exercised by Mr. G. H. Meyer, in connection with his office of President.

W. J. PATTERSON,
Secretary.

PITTSBURGH, March 17, 1876.

OFFICE OF BOARD OF REVISION, }
PITTSBURGH, March 2, 1876. }

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE entitled "An Ordinance amending Section 6 of an Ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance providing for the equalization of the valuation of taxable property,' " ordained October 26, 1872, passed December 28, 1874, and approved January 1, 1875, notice is hereby given that the Board of Revision will meet on the following days to revise the several wards in the following order:

March 23, Seventh and Twenty-fifth wards.
March 24, Eighth and Thirty-sixth wards.
March 25, Twelfth and Thirty seventh wards.
March 27, Twenty-sixth and Twenty-eighth wards.
March 28, Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth wards.

Transcripts of assessments furnished to property holders on application at Board of Revision office.

J. H. NOBBS, Chairman.
THOS. H. PHELPS, Secretary. c18

W. W. TYSON,
Sealer of Weights & Measures,
ALLEGHENY COUNTY.
Office—41 Federal St., Allegheny City.
Box 243, Pittsburgh.
Hours—8 A. M. to 5 P. M. a66

OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR OF GAS AND GAS METERS FOR ALLEGHENY COUNTY. }

DESIRING THAT THE PUBLIC should more generally avail themselves of the advantages of this office, I would give notice to persons desiring to have their meters tested to leave their orders at the offices of their respective Gas Companies, or at my office, corner of Twenty-third and Smallman streets, and they will receive prompt attention.

R. H. SMITH, Inspector.

ELECTIONS.

FRANKLIN SAVINGS BANK, }
ALLEGHENY, PA., March 20, 1876. }

AN ELECTION FOR DIRECTORS of the Franklin Savings Bank will be held at the Banking House, No. 171 Federal street, on TUESDAY, April 4th, between the hours of 2 and 5 P. M.

JAS. H. RIDDLE,
c64 Cashier.

AN ELECTION FOR PRESIDENT and six Directors of the MANCHESTER SAVINGS BANK OF ALLEGHENY, will be held at the Banking House on SATURDAY, the 25th day of March, 1876, between the hours of 1 and 3 o'clock P. M.

c34 THOS. B. UPDEKE, Cashier.

EWALT STREET BRIDGE CO.—The annual election for nine Managers and a Treasurer of this Company will be held at No. 349 Liberty street, on the 23d day of March, between 2 and 4 o'clock P. M.

P. W. SIEBERT,
c14 Secretary.

BUSINESS CHANGES.

PHELPS & M'KEE
SUCCESSORS TO
R. H. Hartley & Co.,
CONTINUE THE
SADDLE, HARNESS, TRUNK
AND TRAVELING BAG
Business at the old stand, NO. 90 WOOD STREET, where can be found a general assortment of all articles in our line, of good quality and at reasonable prices. Call and see us. c5

DISSOLUTION.

The firm of McNEILL, DEAN & CO. is dissolved by mutual consent, to take effect from January 1, 1876, HUGH McNEILL retiring. The Saw Mill, Barge Building, and general lumber business will be continued at the old stand, Herr's Island, Allegheny City, by the remaining partners, under the firm name of McBRIER, DEAN & CO.

In retiring from the firm of McNEILL, DEAN & CO., I cheerfully recommend the new firm to our old patrons and the public generally.

b52 HUGH McNEILL.

MONEY TO LOAN.

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LOANS on Bond and Mortgage will be made by the MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY of New York City, to amount of $5,000 and upward, on satisfactory property CENTRALLY and ELIGIBLY situated, and used as residences or for business purposes, as stores, warehouses, offices, &c., in the cities of Pittsburgh and Allegheny, or good farms in their vicinity.
The rules of the Company do not permit their loaning upon the security of manufactories, mining or coal or timber lands, or on SUBURBAN or unimproved property.
Applications will be received by W. W. PATRICK, of R. PATRICK & CO., No. 46 Fifth avenue, which, before being forwarded to the Company for its action, will be submitted to the undersigned for their approval.
W. W. PATRICK.
W. E. SCHMERTZ,
JAMES PARK, JR.

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